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SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

The following symbols, where shown in columns of figures mean :

| | |
|--------|---|
| n.a. | not available |
| n.y.a. | not yet available |
| — | nil or rounded to zero |
| .. | not applicable |
| p | preliminary — figure or series subject to revision |
| r | figure or series revised since previous issue |
| n.e.i. | not elsewhere included |
| n.e.c. | not elsewhere classified |
| * | subject to sampling variability, too high for most practical purposes |
| —— | break in continuity of series (where drawn across a column between two consecutive figures) |

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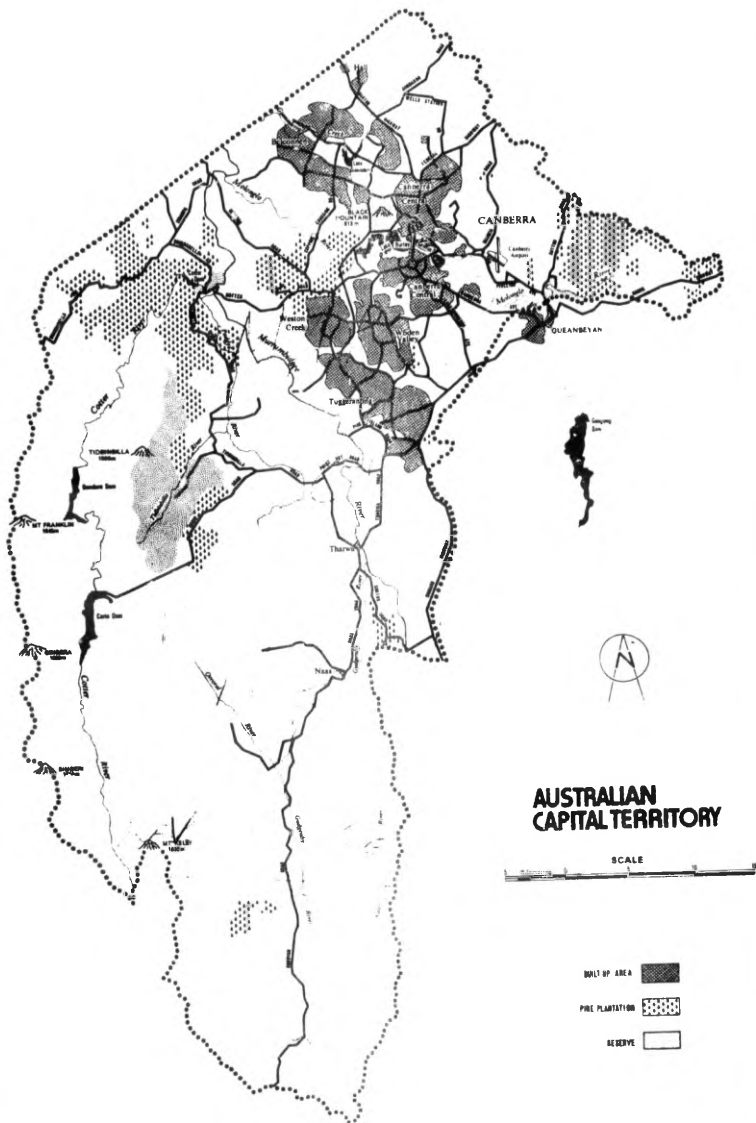
PREFACE

This is the eighteenth issue of this publication, which assembles in consolidated form the statistics of the Australian Capital Territory available in the ABS. The object of the Summary is to present as broad a range of statistics as possible.

The publication was redesigned for the 1979 edition with more emphasis being placed on statistics relating to such aspects as health, welfare and education.

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TABLE 1. CLIMATIC DATA : CANBERRA
(Lat. 35° 19' S., Long. 149° 11' E. Height above M.S.L. 571 metres)

BAROMETER, WIND, EVAPORATION, THUNDER, CLOUDS AND CLEAR DAYS

| Month | Mean of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. atmospheric pressure reduced to mean sea level (mb) | Wind (height of anemometer 10 metres) | | | | | | Mean amount evapo- ration (mm) | No. days thun- der | Mean daily amount clouds | |
|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------|
| | | Average (km/h) | Highest mean speed in one day (km/h) | Highest gust speed (km/h) | Prevailing direction | | 9 a.m., 3 p.m. (4) | | | No. clear days | |
| | | | | | 9 a.m. | 3 p.m. | | | | | |
| No. of years of record | 36 | (b)44 | (b)44 | (c)36 | (c)36 | (c)36 | (d)8 | 36 | 36 | (c)36 | |
| January | 1,012.1 | 6.6 | 24 | 24/33 | 121 | NW | NW | 242 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 7.7 |
| February | 1,013.1 | 6.1 | 25 | 24/33 | 104 | NW | NW | 194 | 3.0 | 4.4 | 6.5 |
| March | 1,016.0 | 5.3 | 29 | 28/42 | 111 | SE | NW | 165 | 1.7 | 4.2 | 7.6 |
| April | 1,018.8 | 5.0 | 30 | 8/45 | 106 | NW | NW | 109 | 0.8 | 4.2 | 6.9 |
| May | 1,019.0 | 4.4 | 21 | 27/58 | 104 | NW | NW | 71 | 0.4 | 4.5 | 6.7 |
| June | 1,021.0 | 4.8 | 26 | 2/30 | 96 | NW | NW | 46 | 0.2 | 4.6 | 6.5 |
| July | 1,020.2 | 5.0 | 38 | 7/31 | 102 | NW | NW | 54 | 0.1 | 4.4 | 7.0 |
| August | 1,018.5 | 5.9 | 25 | 25/36 | 113 | NW | NW | 77 | 0.8 | 4.4 | 6.7 |
| September | 1,017.4 | 6.0 | 28 | 28/34 | 107 | NW | NW | 115 | 1.1 | 4.1 | 7.9 |
| October | 1,014.8 | 6.5 | 23 | 12/57 | 119 | NW | NW | 165 | 2.2 | 4.4 | 6.1 |
| November | 1,011.9 | 6.9 | 28 | 28/42 | 128 | NW | NW | 200 | 3.3 | 4.4 | 5.7 |
| December | 1,010.7 | 6.9 | 26 | 11/38 | 106 | NW | NW | 259 | 3.4 | 4.1 | 7.5 |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1,697 | 20.3 | .. | 82.8 |
| Year Averages | 1,016.1 | 5.8 | .. | .. | .. | NW | NW | .. | .. | 4.3 | 6.9 |
| Extremes | .. | .. | 38 | 7/7/31 | 128 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

(a) Scale 0-8. (b) Recorded at Forestry and Timber Bureau, Yarralumla, where a cup anemometer is installed. (c) Recorded at Meteorological office, R.A.A.F. Fairbairn, where a Dines Pressure Tube anemometer is installed. (d) Class-A Pan. (e) 1940-75. Formerly assessed over 37-year period at Yarralumla.

TEMPERATURE AND SUNSHINE

| Month | Air temperature daily readings (°Celsius) | | | Extreme air temperature (°Celsius) | | Extreme temperature (°Celsius) | | Mean daily hours sunshine |
|------------------------|---|-----------|------|------------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| | Mean max. | Mean min. | Mean | Highest | Lowest | Highest in sun | Lowest on grass | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| No. of years of record | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | .. | .. | 37 |
| January | 27.5 | 12.9 | 20.2 | 41.4 | 31/68 | 1.8 | 1/56 | 8.9 |
| February | 26.6 | 12.6 | 19.6 | 42.2 | 1/68 | 3.0 | 1/62 | 8.2 |
| March | 24.3 | 10.4 | 17.3 | 36.4 | 9/40 | -1.1 | 24/67 | 7.5 |
| April | 19.6 | 6.5 | 13.1 | 32.6 | 12/68 | -3.3 | 26/72 | 6.9 |
| May | 14.9 | 2.8 | 8.9 | 24.5 | 10/67 | -7.5 | 30/76 | 5.6 |
| June | 12.0 | 0.8 | 6.4 | 20.1 | 3/57 | -8.5 | 8/57 | 4.8 |
| July | 11.1 | -0.3 | 5.4 | 19.7 | 29/75 | -10.0 | 11/71 | 5.1 |
| August | 12.6 | 0.8 | 6.7 | 21.7 | 24/54 | -7.8 | 6/74 | 6.1 |
| September | 15.8 | 2.7 | 9.3 | 28.6 | 26/65 | -5.6 | 5/40 | 7.4 |
| October | 19.0 | 5.8 | 12.4 | 32.7 | 13/46 | -3.3 | 4/57 | 7.9 |
| November | 22.2 | 8.2 | 15.1 | 38.8 | 19/44 | -1.8 | 28/67 | 8.7 |
| December | 26.0 | 11.1 | 18.6 | 38.8 | 21/53 | 1.1 | 18/64 | 9.1 |
| Year Averages | 19.3 | 6.2 | 12.7 | 42.2 | .. | -10.0 | .. | 7.2 |
| Extremes | .. | .. | .. | 42.2 | 1/2/68 | .. | -15.1 | .. |

(a) 30/58 and 24/67.

HUMIDITY, RAINFALL AND FOG

| Month | Vapour pressure 9 a.m. (mb) | Rel. hum. (%) at 9 a.m. | | | Rainfall (millimetres) | | | | Fog Mean No. days | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--|---------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|------|
| | | Mean | Highest mean | Lowest mean | Mean No. of days of rain mthly | Greatest monthly | Least monthly | Greatest in one day | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of years of record | (a)36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 36 | |
| January | 13.1 | 60 | 75 | 42 | 61 | 8 | 164 1941 | 1 1947 | 9.5 12/45 1.1 | |
| February | 14.0 | 65 | 81 | 53 | 59 | 7 | 145 1948 | — 1968 | 69 20/74 1.2 | |
| March | 13.1 | 69 | 81 | 53 | 51 | 7 | 312 1950 | 1 1954 | 6.6 5/59 2.8 | |
| April | 10.7 | 75 | 84 | 38 | 50 | 8 | 164 1974 | 2 1942 | 7.5 2/59 4.1 | |
| May | 8.7 | 84 | 96 | 73 | 51 | 9 | 150 1953 | 1 1976 | 9.6 3/48 7.8 | |
| June | 7.1 | 85 | 97 | 73 | 39 | 9 | 126 1956 | 5 1971 | 4.5 25/56 7.6 | |
| July | 6.6 | 84 | 93 | 68 | 38 | 10 | 103 1960 | 4 1970 | 35 10/57 7.7 | |
| August | 7.1 | 80 | 92 | 58 | 47 | 12 | 161 1976 | 7 1944 | 48 29/74 5.0 | |
| September | 8.1 | 74 | 82 | 55 | 50 | 10 | 116 1970 | 6 1946 | 41 16/62 4.1 | |
| October | 10.0 | 67 | 82 | 50 | 73 | 12 | 148 1959 | 6 1940 | 10.5 21/59 3.1 | |
| November | 10.7 | 59 | 76 | 38 | 64 | 10 | 135 1961 | 13 1967 | 6.4 9/50 1.4 | |
| December | 12.3 | 59 | 74 | 43 | 56 | 8 | 215 1947 | — 1967 | 8.7 30/48 0.6 | |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | 639 | 110 | .. | .. | .. | 46.2 |
| Year Averages | 9.3 | 72 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Extremes | .. | .. | 97 | 38 | .. | .. | 312 3/50 | (b) | 105 21/10/59 | .. |

(a) Formerly assessed over 38-year period at the Forestry and Timber Bureau, Yarralumla. (b) 12/67 and 2/68. Data shown in the above tables relate to the Meteorological Office, R.A.A.F., Fairbairn, except where otherwise indicated, and generally cover years up to 1976.

Figures such as 24/33, 31/68, etc., indicate, in respect of the month of reference, the day and year of the occurrence.

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TABLE 2. POPULATION

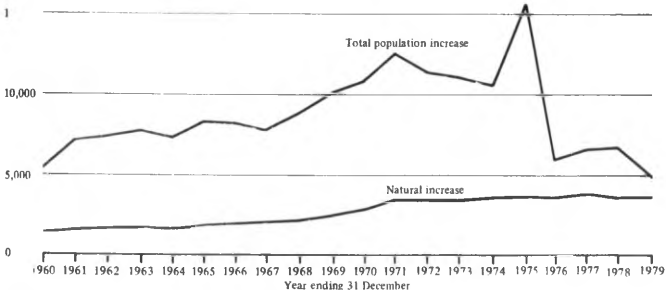
| Year ended 30 June | Natural increase (b) | Net migration (c) | Total increase in population (d) | Population at end of period | Rate of growth (a) | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| | | | | | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
| | - per cent - | | | - '000 - | - per cent - | |
| 1956 | 35.39 | 64.61 | 2.4 | 35.1 | 7.28 | 2.45 |
| 1957 | 34.14 | 65.86 | 2.7 | 37.9 | 7.77 | 2.28 |
| 1958 | 30.19 | 69.81 | 3.3 | 41.2 | 8.72 | 2.10 |
| 1959 | 23.01 | 76.99 | 4.9 | 46.1 | 11.91 | 2.18 |
| 1960 | 20.72 | 79.28 | 6.3 | 52.4 | 13.67 | 2.17 |
| 1961 | 22.24 | 77.76 | 6.5 | (e)58.8 | 12.34 | 2.26 |
| 1962 | 22.19 | 77.81 | 7.3 | 66.2 | 12.49 | 1.84 |
| 1963 | 21.20 | 78.80 | 7.2 | 73.4 | 10.92 | 1.94 |
| 1964 | 24.41 | 75.59 | 6.9 | 80.3 | 9.45 | 1.98 |
| 1965 | 20.44 | 79.56 | 8.1 | 88.5 | 10.12 | 1.98 |
| 1966 | 24.63 | 75.37 | 7.6 | (e)96.0 | 8.55 | 1.86 |
| 1967 | 26.16 | 73.84 | 7.4 | 103.5 | 7.75 | 1.72 |
| 1968 | 24.31 | 75.69 | 8.6 | 112.1 | 8.33 | 1.78 |
| 1969 | 24.29 | 75.71 | 9.6 | 121.7 | 8.53 | 2.12 |
| 1970 | 27.12 | 72.88 | 9.8 | 131.5 | 8.06 | 1.99 |
| 1971 | 26.01 | 73.99 | 12.6 | (f)145.6 | 10.72 | 1.99 |
| 1972 | 27.97 | (g)72.03 | 12.4 | 158.0 | 8.53 | 1.85 |
| 1973 | 32.16 | (g)67.84 | 10.2 | 168.2 | 6.43 | 1.54 |
| 1974 | 31.32 | (g)68.68 | 11.4 | 179.6 | 6.78 | 1.63 |
| 1975 | 31.24 | (g)68.76 | 11.4 | 190.9 | 6.33 | 1.27 |
| 1976 | 29.77 | (g)70.23 | 12.4 | (f)203.3 | 6.51 | 1.05 |
| 1977 | 26.27 | 23.73 | 4.9 | 208.2 | 2.41 | 1.14 |
| 1978 | 50.47 | 49.53 | 7.4 | 215.6 | 3.55 | 1.24 |
| 1979 | 53.00 | 47.00 | 6.7 | 222.3 | 3.12 | 1.23 |
| 1980 (p) | 83.98 | 16.02 | 4.2 | 226.6 | 1.91 | 1.34 |

(a) The rate represents the increase during the period expressed as a proportion (per cent) of the population at the beginning of the period.
 (b) Natural increase (excess of live births registered over deaths registered) expressed as a percentage of total increase. (c) Net migration (overseas and interstate) expressed as a percentage of total increase. (d) The sum of natural increase and net migration. (e) Census results. (f) Census results adjusted to allow for under-enumeration. (g) Includes the effect of an intercensal adjustment.

COMPONENTS OF POPULATION GROWTH, A.C.T.

Population increase

20,000



(a) Total increase is the sum of natural increase and net migration. However, for the years 1971 to 1976 the total increase figures include adjustments

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AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY STATISTICAL SUMMARY

TABLE 3. POPULATION : CANBERRA SUBURBS AND BALANCE OF A.C.T.
(Persons)

| Suburbs | 30 June | | | Suburbs | 30 June | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 1978 | 1979 (a) | 1980 | | 1978 | 1979 (a) | 1980 |
| <i>Canberra Central</i> | | | | <i>Belconnen</i> | | | |
| <i>North Canberra</i> | | | | <i>North Belconnen</i> | | | |
| Action | 2,350 | 2,000 | 2,300 | Charmwood | 2,450 | 3,400 | 3,650 |
| Ainslie | 5,200 | 4,950 | 4,850 | Evatt | 3,450 | 4,000 | 5,400 |
| Braddon | 2,450 | 2,350 | 2,350 | Flynn | 4,450 | 4,550 | 4,650 |
| Campbell | 4,700 | 4,700 | 4,650 | Fraser | 1,700 | 2,100 | 2,250 |
| City | 500 | 500 | 400 | Giralang | 3,850 | 4,000 | 4,150 |
| Dickson | 2,600 | 2,500 | 2,400 | Kaleen | 4,400 | 7,200 | 7,650 |
| Downer | 4,750 | 4,550 | 4,350 | Melba | 4,350 | 4,550 | 4,550 |
| Hackett | 3,900 | 3,800 | 3,650 | Spence | 3,150 | 3,300 | 3,300 |
| Lynham | 2,700 | 2,600 | 2,500 | <i>Total North Belconnen</i> | <i>27,800</i> | <i>33,100</i> | <i>35,600</i> |
| O'Connor | 5,900 | 5,800 | 5,700 | | | | |
| Pialligo | 500 | 500 | 500 | <i>South Belconnen</i> | | | |
| Reid | 1,250 | 1,400 | 1,450 | Aranda | 3,400 | 3,200 | 3,150 |
| Turner | 2,050 | 1,950 | 1,950 | Belconnen | 50 | 350 | 750 |
| Watson | 4,350 | 4,150 | 4,000 | Bruce | 300 | 500 | 550 |
| <i>Total North Canberra</i> | <i>43,200</i> | <i>41,750</i> | <i>41,050</i> | Cook | 2,950 | 3,150 | 3,400 |
| | | | | Hawker | 3,100 | 3,100 | 3,150 |
| <i>South Canberra</i> | | | | Higgins | 4,650 | 4,300 | 4,250 |
| Barton/Parkes | 700 | 700 | 700 | Holt | 4,000 | 4,050 | 4,250 |
| Deakin | 3,050 | 3,000 | 2,950 | Latham | 3,500 | 3,500 | 3,600 |
| Forrest | 1,200 | 1,150 | 1,150 | MacGregor | 4,450 | 4,500 | 4,500 |
| Iyshwick | 550 | (b)50 | 50 | McKellar | -- | -- | -- |
| Griffith | 3,200 | 3,150 | 3,150 | Macquarie | 2,850 | 2,700 | 2,650 |
| Kingston | 500 | (b)1,000 | 1,200 | Page | 3,150 | 2,900 | 2,850 |
| Narrabundah | 6,000 | 5,700 | 5,550 | Scullin | 3,600 | 3,400 | 3,400 |
| Red Hill | 2,950 | 3,050 | 3,000 | Weetangera | 3,650 | 3,300 | 3,300 |
| Symonston/Jerrabomberra | 1,350 | 1,200 | 1,200 | <i>Total South Belconnen</i> | <i>39,650</i> | <i>38,950</i> | <i>39,800</i> |
| Yarralumla | 3,350 | 3,100 | 3,000 | | | | |
| <i>Total South Canberra</i> | <i>22,850</i> | <i>22,100</i> | <i>21,950</i> | <i>Total Belconnen</i> | <i>67,450</i> | <i>72,050</i> | <i>75,400</i> |
| <i>Total Canberra Central</i> | <i>66,050</i> | <i>63,850</i> | <i>63,000</i> | <i>Weston Creek</i> | | | |
| | | | | Chapman | 3,200 | 3,500 | 3,450 |
| <i>Woden</i> | | | | Duffy | 4,200 | 4,100 | 3,950 |
| Chifley | 3,100 | 3,100 | 3,250 | Fisher | 4,150 | 4,050 | 4,000 |
| Curtin | 7,050 | 6,750 | 6,650 | Holder | 3,450 | 3,450 | 3,450 |
| Farrer | 4,300 | 4,200 | 4,050 | Rivett | 4,500 | 4,500 | 4,400 |
| Garran | 3,450 | 3,450 | 3,550 | Stirling | 1,200 | 1,300 | 1,200 |
| Hughes | 3,950 | 3,750 | 3,600 | Waramanga | 3,500 | 3,400 | 3,400 |
| Isaacs | -- | -- | -- | Weston | 3,750 | 3,800 | 4,150 |
| Lyons | 3,650 | 3,450 | 3,350 | <i>Total Weston Creek</i> | <i>27,950</i> | <i>28,100</i> | <i>28,000</i> |
| Mawson | 3,150 | 3,000 | 2,950 | <i>Tuggeranong</i> | | | |
| O'Malley | 100 | 100 | 100 | Fadden | -- | -- | -- |
| Pearce | 2,950 | 2,800 | 2,950 | Kambah | 13,750 | 15,600 | 16,200 |
| Phillip | 200 | 200 | 300 | Wanniassa | 3,650 | 6,600 | 7,500 |
| Torrens | 3,100 | 2,900 | 2,850 | Monash | -- | 400 | 800 |
| <i>Total Woden</i> | <i>35,000</i> | <i>33,700</i> | <i>33,600</i> | <i>Total Tuggeranong</i> | <i>17,400</i> | <i>22,600</i> | <i>24,500</i> |
| | | | | "Outer" City | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| | | | | <i>Total City District</i> | <i>214,450</i> | <i>220,900</i> | <i>225,100</i> |
| | | | | Rural A.C.T. | 1,450 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| | | | | <i>Total A.C.T.</i> | <i>215,900</i> | <i>222,400</i> | <i>226,600</i> |

(a) The methodology of compilation for the Canberra Population estimates has been revised. The first set of suburb estimates using the new procedure is for 30 June 1979. For a brief description of the change, see the publication *Population Estimates: Canberra City District, 30 June 1979* (3205.0). (b) The area known as the Causeway has been reallocated to Kingston.

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TABLE 4. CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION :
POPULATION BY AGE (GROUPED AGE), 30 JUNE 1979

| Age group | Number | | | Percentage distribution | |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|------------------------------|-----------|
| | Males | Females | Persons | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
| 0-4 | 11,726 | 10,958 | 22,684 | 10.2 | 7.9 |
| 5-9 | 12,556 | 11,903 | 24,459 | 11.0 | 9.1 |
| 10-14 | 10,535 | 9,818 | 20,353 | 9.2 | 8.6 |
| 15-19 | 10,097 | 9,511 | 19,608 | 8.8 | 9.0 |
| 20-24 | 9,995 | 10,268 | 20,263 | 9.1 | 8.5 |
| 25-29 | 11,236 | 11,422 | 22,658 | 10.2 | 8.1 |
| 30-34 | 11,651 | 11,144 | 22,795 | 10.3 | 7.9 |
| 35-39 | 8,590 | 7,895 | 16,485 | 7.4 | 6.3 |
| 40-44 | 6,679 | 6,180 | 12,859 | 5.8 | 5.5 |
| 45-49 | 5,459 | 4,909 | 10,368 | 4.7 | 5.2 |
| 50-54 | 5,001 | 4,658 | 9,659 | 4.3 | 5.4 |
| 55-59 | 3,995 | 3,746 | 7,741 | 3.5 | 5.0 |
| 60-64 | 2,264 | 2,343 | 4,607 | 2.1 | 4.0 |
| 65-69 | 1,485 | 1,903 | 3,388 | 1.5 | 3.5 |
| 70-74 | 883 | 1,093 | 1,976 | 0.9 | 2.6 |
| 75-79 | 444 | 801 | 1,245 | 0.6 | 1.7 |
| 80-84 | 196 | 544 | 740 | 0.3 | 1.0 |
| 85+ | 106 | 335 | 441 | 0.2 | 0.6 |
| Total | 112,898 | 109,431 | 222,329 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

TABLE 5. POPULATION BY MARITAL STATUS, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1976 (a)

| | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------|
| | Per cent | Per cent |
| Never married | 48.96 | 45.77 |
| Married | 45.50 | 45.70 |
| Permanently separated | 1.44 | 1.86 |
| Divorced | 1.67 | 1.64 |
| Widowed | 2.43 | 5.03 |
| Total | 100.00 | 100.00 |

(a) Adjusted for under-enumeration.

TABLE 6. POPULATION BY BIRTHPLACE, CENSUS 30 JUNE 1976 (a)

| | Australian Capital Territory | Australia |
|---------------|------------------------------|-----------|
| | Per cent | Per cent |
| Australia | 76.0 | 79.8 |
| U.K. and Eire | 9.1 | 8.2 |
| Other | 14.9 | 12.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) Adjusted for under-enumeration.

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TABLE 7. BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Births</i> | <i>Deaths</i> | <i>Marriages</i> | <i>Divorces (a)</i> | | | | |
|------------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|
| NUMBERS | | | | | | | | |
| Annual averages — | | | | | | | | |
| 1946-1950 | 734 | 103 | 181 | 20 | | | | |
| 1951-1955 | 922 | 131 | 234 | 26 | | | | |
| 1956-1960 | 1,286 | 184 | 321 | 30 | | | | |
| 1961-1965 | 1,932 | 290 | 533 | 70 | | | | |
| 1966-1970 | 2,783 | 497 | 983 | 139 | | | | |
| 1971-1975 | 4,188 | 685 | 1,411 | 304 | | | | |
| Annual totals — | | | | | | | | |
| 1974 | 4,368 | 758 | 1,355 | 369 | | | | |
| 1975 | 4,370 | 736 | 1,462 | 460 | | | | |
| 1976 | 4,482 | 853 | 1,586 | (b)1,708 | | | | |
| 1977 | 4,638 | 788 | 1,491 | 1,353 | | | | |
| 1978 | 4,433 | 912 | 1,517 | 1,271 | | | | |
| 1979 | 4,487 | 842 | 1,565 | 1,346 | | | | |
| RATES | | | | | | | | |
| | <i>A.C.T.</i> | <i>Australia</i> | <i>A.C.T.</i> | <i>Australia</i> | <i>A.C.T.</i> | <i>Australia</i> | <i>A.C.T.</i> | <i>Australia</i> |
| Annual average rates — | | | | | | | | |
| 1946-1950 | 37.9 | 23.4 | 5.3 | 9.7 | 9.4 | 9.8 | 1.1 | 1.0 |
| 1951-1955 | 32.2 | 22.9 | 4.6 | 9.3 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| 1956-1960 | 30.1 | 22.6 | 4.3 | 8.8 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| 1961-1965 | 26.3 | 21.3 | 3.9 | 8.8 | 7.3 | 7.6 | 0.9 | 0.7 |
| 1966-1970 | 24.6 | 20.0 | 4.4 | 8.9 | 8.7 | 8.8 | 1.2 | 0.9 |
| 1971-1975 | 25.1 | 19.0 | 4.1 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 1.8 | 1.3 |
| Annual rates — | | | | | | | | |
| 1974 | 24.4 | 18.0 | 4.2 | 8.5 | 7.6 | 8.1 | 2.1 | 1.3 |
| 1975 | 22.9 | 16.9 | 3.9 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.6 | 2.4 | 1.8 |
| 1976 | 22.1 | 16.4 | 4.2 | 8.1 | 7.8 | 7.9 | (b)8.4 | (b)4.5 |
| 1977 | 22.2 | 16.1 | 3.8 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.5 | 6.5 | 3.2 |
| 1978 | 20.6 | 15.7 | 4.2 | 7.6 | 7.0 | 7.2 | 5.9 | 2.9 |
| 1979 | 20.2 | 15.5 | 3.8 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 6.1 | 2.6 |

(a) Many divorces registered in the A.C.T. involve applicants normally resident in areas surrounding the A.C.T. In 1979, only 722 (54%) of A.C.T. divorces granted were to applicants normally resident in the A.C.T. The A.C.T. rate is therefore not a statistically accurate reflection of the extent of divorce among A.C.T. residents. (b) Introduction of Family Law Act.

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TABLE 8. BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES REGISTERED : NUMBERS AND RATES

| | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Births — | | | | | | |
| Males | 2,257 | 2,246 | 2,349 | 2,402 | 2,295 | 2,285 |
| Females | 2,111 | 2,124 | 2,133 | 2,236 | 2,138 | 2,202 |
| Total | 4,368 | 4,370 | 4,482 | 4,638 | 4,433 | 4,487 |
| Ex-nuptial | 211 | 262 | 253 | 264 | 294 | 318 |
| Ex-nuptial as a proportion of total births (per cent) | 4.8 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 5.7 | 6.6 | 7.1 |
| Crude birth rate (a) | 24.4 | 22.9 | 22.1 | 22.2 | 20.6 | 20.2 |
| Total fertility rate | 2,579 | 2,385 | 2,234 | 2,295 | 2,130 | 2,107 |
| Deaths — | | | | | | |
| Males | 434 | 431 | 488 | 456 | 519 | 483 |
| Females | 324 | 305 | 365 | 332 | 393 | 359 |
| Total | 758 | 736 | 853 | 788 | 912 | 842 |
| Crude death rate (a) — | | | | | | |
| Males | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.3 |
| Females | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 3.3 |
| Total | 4.2 | 3.9 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 3.8 |
| Infant deaths — | | | | | | |
| Under 1 day | 26 | 27 | 32 | 23 | 29 | 26 |
| 1 day and under 1 week | 19 | 12 | 16 | 9 | 11 | 8 |
| 1 week and under 4 weeks | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 6 |
| 4 weeks and under 1 year | 20 | 21 | 26 | 25 | 17 | 12 |
| Total | 70 | 62 | 76 | 59 | 62 | 52 |
| Infant death rate (b) | 16.0 | 14.2 | 17.0 | 12.7 | 14.0 | 11.6 |
| Still births | 42 | 40 | 51 | 47 | 41 | 37 |
| Marriages — | | | | | | |
| Number | 1,355 | 1,462 | 1,586 | 1,491 | 1,517 | 1,565 |
| Crude marriage rate (a) | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.0 | 7.1 |
| Divorces (c) — | | | | | | |
| Number | 369 | 460 | 1,708 | 1,353 | 1,271 | 1,346 |
| Crude divorce rate (a) | 2.1 | 2.4 | 8.4 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 6.1 |

(a) Per 1,000 mean population. (b) Number of deaths per 1,000 live births. (c) The large increase in the number of divorces from 1976 coincides with the introduction of the *Family Law Act* 1975 in January 1976. See also footnote (c) to Table 7.

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TABLE 9. PUBLIC HOSPITALS (a) : PATIENTS, FINANCE AND ACCOMMODATION
(Source : Capital Territory Health Commission)

| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Admissions and re-admissions (b) | 38,694 | 39,234 | 39,062 |
| Total in-patient (cases) treated | 39,520 | 39,952 | 39,667 |
| Discharges (including deaths) | 38,799 | 39,271 | 38,909 |
| In-patients at end of year | 724 | 687 | 840 |
| Out-patients - occasions of service | 293,072 | 273,927 | 292,042 |
| Revenue - | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Government aid (c) | 30,890 | 37,948 | 21,952 |
| Fees and other | 9,697 | 10,506 | 11,530 |
| Total Revenue | 40,587 | 48,454 | 33,482 |
| Expenditure - | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |
| Salaries and wages | 32,025 | 34,268 | 34,085 |
| Maintenance of buildings and grounds | 1,278 | 2,217 | 1,700 |
| Other | 7,623 | 11,984 | 14,580 |
| Total Expenditure | 40,926 | 48,469 | 50,365 |

ACCOMMODATION

Number of cots and beds available for the following types of patients -

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| General medical and surgical | 546 | 516 | 564 |
| Obstetric | 130 | 124 | 124 |
| Paediatric | 71 | 71 | 71 |
| Infectious diseases | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Psychiatric | 48 | 46 | 52 |
| Geriatric | 6 | 6 | 26 |
| Rehabilitation | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| Intensive/coronary care | 28 | 29 | 44 |
| Clinical science | 8 | 10 | - |
| Total accommodation | 885 | 850 | 929 |

(a) Canberra Hospital, Woden Valley Hospital, Calvary Hospital and Queen Elizabeth II Coronation Home. (b) A person who is admitted to hospital twice during a year is counted twice. Newborn babies are excluded unless they remain in hospital after their mother's discharge. (c) Includes payments under cost-sharing arrangements.

TABLE 10. DOCTORS AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS REGISTERED
(Source : Capital Territory Health Commission)

| Profession | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number registered at 30 June - | | | | | | |
| Doctors | 772 | 827 | 936 | 1,067 | 1,123 | 1,231 |
| Dentists | 128 | 131 | 148 | 151 | 156 | 160 |
| Pharmacists | 296 | 321 | 343 | 361 | 369 | 389 |
| Optometrists | 16 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 23 | 24 |
| Veterinary surgeons | 29 | 45 | 53 | 63 | 66 | 76 |
| Nurses | 3,373 | 3,864 | 4,376 | 4,771 | 5,196 | 5,668 |
| Nurses' aides | 846 | 948 | 1,116 | 1,264 | 1,411 | 1,529 |
| Physiotherapists (a) | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 92 | 122 | 150 |

(a) Registered for the first time in 1978.

NOTE: These registrations represent the numbers eligible to practice their respective professions in the A.C.T. whether they are resident in the A.C.T. or not, or whether actually practising or not. Reviews of the registrations are conducted periodically.

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TABLE 11. SELECTED MEASURES OF HEALTH STATUS AND USE OF HEALTH SERVICES FROM THE 1977-78 AUSTRALIAN HEALTH SURVEY

| | A.C.T. | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|--------------------------|---------|---------|
| | ('000 persons) | | | Percent (a) | | | Australia (per cent) (a) | | |
| | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons |
| RECENT ILLNESS (b) | | | | | | | | | |
| Persons with - | | | | | | | | | |
| No recent illness | 36.2 | 30.5 | 66.7 | 34.2 | 29.9 | 32.1 | 37.2 | 32.1 | 34.7 |
| One or more recent illnesses | 69.8 | 71.5 | 141.3 | 65.8 | 70.1 | 67.9 | 62.8 | 67.9 | 65.3 |
| One or more recent illnesses involving doctor consultation (c) | 32.5 | 34.9 | 67.3 | 30.7 | 34.2 | 32.3 | 30.1 | 34.0 | 34.5 |
| Total persons | 106.0 | 102.0 | 208.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| CHRONIC ILLNESS (d) | | | | | | | | | |
| Persons with - | | | | | | | | | |
| No chronic conditions | 65.2 | 55.9 | 121.1 | 61.5 | 54.8 | 58.2 | 57.3 | 52.5 | 54.9 |
| One or more chronic conditions | 40.8 | 46.1 | 86.9 | 38.5 | 45.2 | 41.8 | 42.7 | 47.5 | 45.1 |
| One or more chronic limiting conditions (e) | 11.7 | 10.8 | 22.5 | 11.7 | 10.9 | 11.3 | 10.8 | 9.7 | 10.3 |
| Total persons | 106.0 | 102.0 | 208.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| PERIOD SINCE LAST DOCTOR CONSULTATION | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 weeks ago or less | 17.0 | 19.3 | 36.4 | 16.0 | 19.0 | 17.5 | 15.1 | 20.3 | 17.7 |
| More than 2 weeks to 3 months | 26.1 | 35.7 | 61.8 | 24.6 | 35.0 | 29.7 | 27.0 | 32.5 | 29.8 |
| Total up to 3 months | 43.1 | 55.1 | 98.1 | 40.6 | 54.0 | 47.2 | 42.1 | 52.9 | 47.5 |
| More than 3 months to 6 months | 20.0 | 19.8 | 39.8 | 18.9 | 19.4 | 19.1 | 16.8 | 16.5 | 16.7 |
| More than 6 months to 12 months | 18.5 | 12.5 | 31.1 | 17.5 | 12.3 | 14.9 | 16.0 | 12.8 | 14.4 |
| Total up to 12 months | 81.6 | 87.4 | 169.0 | 77.0 | 85.7 | 81.2 | 74.9 | 82.2 | 78.5 |
| More than 12 months | 24.3 | 14.4 | 38.7 | 22.9 | 14.1 | 18.6 | 24.7 | 17.3 | 21.0 |
| Total persons (f) | 106.0 | 102.0 | 208.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| PERSONS WITH ONE OR MORE EPISODES IN HOSPITAL IN THE 12 MONTHS BEFORE INTERVIEW: REASON FOR MOST RECENT EPISODE | | | | | | | | | |
| To have a baby | .. | 2.6 | 2.6 | .. | 15.0 | 9.1 | .. | 19.4 | 11.5 |
| Surgery | 5.1 | 9.4 | 14.4 | 44.2 | 53.2 | 49.7 | 48.4 | 45.9 | 46.9 |
| To have tests done | 1.9 | *1.0 | 2.9 | 16.6 | 5.9 | 10.1 | 11.1 | 8.4 | 9.5 |
| Observation only | 2.4 | *0.9 | 3.3 | 21.3 | 4.8 | 11.3 | 9.5 | 7.0 | 8.0 |
| Sickness, illness or injury | 2.0 | 3.7 | 5.8 | 17.9 | 21.1 | 19.8 | 31.0 | 19.2 | 24.0 |
| Total persons with one or more episodes | 11.5 | 17.7 | 29.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| PERIOD SINCE LAST DENTIST CONSULTATION (g) | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 months or less | 35.0 | 36.7 | 71.7 | 37.9 | 41.1 | 39.4 | 27.5 | 31.3 | 29.4 |
| More than 6 months to 12 months | 21.3 | 22.5 | 43.8 | 23.0 | 25.3 | 24.1 | 18.7 | 18.8 | 18.8 |
| More than 12 months (h) | 36.2 | 29.9 | 66.1 | 39.1 | 33.5 | 36.4 | 53.7 | 49.7 | 51.7 |
| Total persons (i) | 92.5 | 89.2 | 181.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| PERSONS WHO CONSULTED A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL (other than a doctor or dentist) IN THE FOUR WEEKS BEFORE INTERVIEW: TYPE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONAL CONSULTED | | | | | | | | | |
| Chemist (j) | 2.1 | 3.5 | 5.5 | 1.9 | 3.4 | 2.7 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 2.5 |
| Optician or optometrist | 2.6 | 2.1 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 1.6 |
| Physiotherapist | *1.0 | *1.7 | 2.7 | *1.0 | *1.7 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Social worker or welfare officer | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| District, home or community nurse (k) | .. | *0.7 | *0.7 | .. | *1.0 | *0.5 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| School or community nurse (l) | *0.9 | *1.1 | 1.9 | *2.6 | *3.5 | 3.0 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 2.5 |
| Baby health centre nurse (m) | 2.2 | 2.3 | 4.5 | 19.2 | 21.1 | 20.1 | 15.8 | 14.7 | 15.3 |
| Chiropractor (k) | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 0.5 | 1.4 | 0.9 |
| Chiropactor, naturopath or osteopath (k) | *1.4 | *1.1 | 2.5 | *1.9 | *1.6 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.1 |

(a) Proportion of population in relevant category. (b) An illness, injury or other health problem which caused some complaint or symptom of illhealth in the two weeks prior to interview. (c) Persons who at the time of interview had previously consulted a doctor in relation to one or more of their recent illnesses or had made arrangements to consult a doctor. (d) Any illness, injury or impairment which the respondent claimed to have had for more than six months. (e) Relates to persons aged two years and over. (f) Includes persons who did not state when they last consulted a doctor or who claimed to have never seen a doctor. (g) Relates to persons aged 6 years and over. (h) Includes persons who stated they have never visited a dentist. (i) Includes persons who did not state how long it had been since they last visited a dentist. (j) Includes only visits to a chemist where medical advice was sought. (k) Relates to persons aged 15 years and over. (l) Relates to persons aged less than 15 years. (m) Relates to persons aged less than 5 years.

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TABLE 12. HEALTH SERVICES
(Source : Capital Territory Health Commission)

| <i>Service or organisation</i> | <i>1977-78</i> | <i>1978-79</i> | <i>1979-80</i> |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Infant Welfare Centres (Canberra) – | | | |
| Number of centres and sub-centres at 30 June | 62 | 63 | 64 |
| Number of attendances | 89,781 | 86,675 | 85,651 |
| Number of home visits by nurses | 21,660 | 21,668 | 19,144 |
| Public Nursing Homes (Jindalee, Allambee) (a) – | | | |
| Beds available at 30 June | 230 | 230 | 280 |
| Daily average beds occupied | 224 | 224 | 246 |
| Total patients accommodated | 438 | 421 | 494 |
| School Medical Service (b) – | | | |
| Number of children examined | 25,564 | 31,261 | 26,211 |
| Number of defects notified | 2,624 | 2,216 | 1,969 |
| Child Dental Service (b) – | | | |
| Number given routine examination and treatment | 31,723 | 30,847 | 35,831 |
| Mental Health Branch Services (including speech therapy) – | | | |
| Number of new referrals | 3,672 | 3,639 | 4,025 |
| A.C.T. Ambulance Service (c) – | | | |
| Patients transported | 8,743 | 8,372 | 8,649 |
| Kilometres travelled | 200,000 | 181,900 | 251,300 |
| Inspection under Public Health Ordinances – | | | |
| Number of samples collected for – | | | |
| Bacteriological examination | 6,234 | 6,716 | 7,149 |
| Chemical examination | 1,501 | 1,554 | 1,609 |
| Number of complaints examined | 752 | 1,145 | 791 |
| Number of prosecutions issued | 5 | 24 | 14 |
| Community Health Centres – | | | |
| Number of centres | 7 | 10 | 10 |
| Number of new patients registered | 17,528 | 15,346 | 16,243 |
| Number of encounters (d) | 241,886 | 236,785 | 214,261 |

(a) Nursing home beds were introduced from 5 March 1980 at Calvary Hospital and are included in the statistics for 1979-80. (b) Includes visits to Jervis Bay and Wreck Bay. (c) Includes services to adjacent districts of N.S.W. (d) Where a person sees more than one health worker, he/she is counted more than once.

TABLE 13. MAJOR CAUSES OF DEATH FOR EACH AGE GROUP

Deaths per 1,000 of same age and sex

| Cause of death | Australian Capital Territory | | | | | | Australia | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|-------|-------|---------|------|------|-----------|-------|-------|---------|------|------|
| | Males | | | Females | | | Males | | | Females | | |
| | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
| Under one year – Certain causes of perinatal mortality | 6.0 | 9.7 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 5.4 | 7.9 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.2 |
| Total all causes | 16.2 | 16.0 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 10.8 | 13.5 | 14.1 | 13.7 | 12.6 | 10.9 | 10.6 | 10.1 |
| 1-14 years – Motor vehicle and other accidents | 0.1 | 0.2 | – | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Total all causes | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| 15-24 years – Motor vehicle accidents | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Total all causes | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| 25-34 years – Motor vehicle accidents | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | – | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Cancer | 0.4 | 0.2 | – | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Total all causes | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| 35-44 years – Cancer | 0.4 | 0.3 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Ischaemic heart disease | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | – | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Total all causes | 1.3 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.3 |
| 45-54 years – Ischaemic heart disease | 2.7 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Cancer | 2.2 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| Total all causes | 7.6 | 4.2 | 5.4 | 3.7 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 7.2 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 4.0 | 3.7 | 3.5 |
| 55-64 years – Ischaemic heart disease | 7.7 | 7.3 | 6.6 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 7.3 | 7.0 | 6.5 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.0 |
| Cancer | 4.6 | 4.1 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 3.4 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.0 |
| Total all causes | 18.9 | 17.9 | 16.9 | 9.6 | 11.3 | 9.0 | 18.2 | 17.8 | 16.7 | 9.1 | 9.0 | 8.3 |
| 65-74 years – Ischaemic heart disease | 11.1 | 24.2 | 16.9 | 6.4 | 9.9 | 8.7 | 16.8 | 16.1 | 15.7 | 7.5 | 7.3 | 6.7 |
| Cancer | 11.6 | 14.3 | 13.5 | 8.8 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 10.6 | 10.6 | 10.8 | 5.4 | 5.2 | 5.3 |
| Total all causes | 41.4 | 54.7 | 47.7 | 24.3 | 30.1 | 27.0 | 44.4 | 43.0 | 41.9 | 22.3 | 21.8 | 20.7 |
| 75 years and over – Ischaemic heart disease | 41.5 | 34.8 | 40.2 | 19.8 | 27.1 | 17.3 | 37.4 | 37.7 | 34.2 | 27.1 | 26.6 | 23.8 |
| Cerebrovascular disease | 10.8 | 15.3 | 18.8 | 14.5 | 22.7 | 8.9 | 18.2 | 17.4 | 15.8 | 20.2 | 19.1 | 17.6 |
| Cancer | 20.0 | 33.4 | 37.5 | 11.2 | 13.3 | 16.1 | 20.3 | 20.4 | 19.9 | 10.2 | 10.0 | 10.3 |
| Total all causes | 119.8 | 146.0 | 136.7 | 78.0 | 94.7 | 70.8 | 117.6 | 116.6 | 110.5 | 87.1 | 84.3 | 81.8 |
| Total all ages | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 8.5 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 6.6 |

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TABLE 14. HOSPITAL MORBIDITY : PUBLIC HOSPITALS (a), NUMBER OF SEPARATIONS (b), 1978

| Disease group (ICD major groups) | Age Group | | | | | | | Average days stay | Total days |
|---|-----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------------------|------------|
| | 0 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | | |
| Infective and parasitic | 146 | 238 | 165 | 153 | 170 | 63 | 38 | 973 | 5,571 |
| Neoplasms | 33 | 42 | 72 | 145 | 596 | 834 | 445 | 2,167 | 19,090 |
| Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic | 32 | 37 | 41 | 87 | 138 | 171 | 68 | 574 | 11,02 |
| Blood and blood-forming organs | 3 | 26 | 53 | 13 | 30 | 19 | 45 | 189 | 6,22 |
| Mental disorders | 7 | 6 | 28 | 231 | 491 | 270 | 84 | 1,117 | 21,614 |
| Nervous system and sense organs | 128 | 304 | 383 | 152 | 484 | 374 | 225 | 2,050 | 11,713 |
| Circulatory system | 3 | 3 | 7 | 71 | 641 | 1,190 | 852 | 2,768 | 11,62 |
| Respiratory system | 188 | 759 | 946 | 386 | 518 | 307 | 208 | 3,312 | 14,483 |
| Digestive system | 85 | 197 | 374 | 521 | 1,153 | 787 | 364 | 3,482 | 23,266 |
| Genito-urinary system | 52 | 127 | 153 | 404 | 2,011 | 1,814 | 325 | 4,886 | 16,181 |
| Delivery without mention of complication | — | — | — | 754 | 1,737 | — | — | 2,491 | 6,83 |
| Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium | — | — | — | 1,115 | 2,364 | 5 | — | 3,484 | 6,38 |
| Skin and subcutaneous tissue | 31 | 35 | 65 | 115 | 159 | 86 | 42 | 533 | 5,75 |
| Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue | 3 | 21 | 84 | 237 | 851 | 627 | 134 | 1,957 | 18,506 |
| Congenital anomalies | 362 | 168 | 170 | 49 | 63 | 21 | 6 | 839 | 6,46 |
| Certain causes of perinatal morbidity | 1,198 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | 1,200 | 9,93 |
| Symptoms and ill-defined conditions | 61 | 161 | 183 | 260 | 469 | 315 | 144 | 1,593 | 5,20 |
| Accidents, poisoning and violence | 38 | 245 | 557 | 1,009 | 943 | 420 | 230 | 3,442 | 32,574 |
| Supplementary classifications | 204 | 44 | 61 | 245 | 1,357 | 267 | 289 | 2,467 | 5,03 |
| Total - | | | | | | | | | |
| Males | 1,525 | 1,475 | 1,883 | 1,871 | 4,087 | 4,262 | 1,766 | 16,871 | 7,01 |
| Females | 1,049 | 940 | 1,459 | 4,076 | 10,088 | 3,308 | 1,733 | 22,653 | 7,27 |
| Persons | 2,574 | 2,415 | 3,342 | 5,947 | 14,175 | 7,570 | 3,499 | 39,524 | 7,16 |
| Average days stay - | | | | | | | | | |
| Males | 6.97 | 3.29 | 3.78 | 7.34 | 6.18 | 7.13 | 14.89 | 7.01 | .. |
| Females | 8.81 | 3.22 | 3.34 | 5.97 | 6.06 | 8.57 | 19.47 | 7.27 | .. |
| Persons | 7.72 | 3.26 | 3.59 | 6.40 | 6.10 | 7.75 | 17.16 | 7.16 | .. |

(a) Canberra and Woden Valley Hospitals only. (b) Includes discharges, transfers and deaths but excludes discharges of healthy newborn infants. Separations for whom ages are not known are included only in the Total and therefore the age components in some cases do not add to the totals shown in the Table.

TABLE 15. PRINCIPAL OPERATIONS (a) : PUBLIC HOSPITALS (b), 1978

| Operation | Number of separations (c) | Percentage of separations | Average days stay |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Neurosurgery | 912 | 3.6 | 10.35 |
| Endocrine surgery | 86 | 0.3 | 8.55 |
| Surgery of neck | 106 | 0.4 | 5.33 |
| Ophthalmic surgery | 685 | 2.7 | 3.66 |
| Ear, nose and throat surgery | 2,582 | 10.1 | 2.68 |
| Thoracic surgery | 355 | 1.4 | 9.68 |
| Operations on breast | 326 | 1.3 | 5.08 |
| Gastrointestinal and abdominal surgery | 3,782 | 14.8 | 7.98 |
| Urinary and male genital surgery | 2,007 | 7.8 | 5.00 |
| Gynaecological surgery | 2,840 | 11.1 | 4.27 |
| Obstetric surgery | 4,462 | 17.4 | 6.91 |
| Orthopaedic surgery | 2,248 | 8.8 | 10.61 |
| Operations on blood vessels and lymphatic system | 828 | 3.2 | 7.54 |
| Operations on skin and subcutaneous tissues | 1,069 | 4.2 | 5.79 |
| Other procedures | 3,325 | 13.0 | 2.19 |
| Total operation separations - | | | |
| Males | 10,479 | 40.9 | 5.71 |
| Females | 15,134 | 59.1 | 6.10 |
| Persons | 25,613 | 100.0 | 5.94 |

(a) Includes surgery and other major procedures classifiable to the code of Surgical Operations (C.S.O.) (Revised Interim Version 1968 : General Register Office, London). (b) Canberra and Woden Valley Hospitals only. (c) Separations of patients who had undergone operations. Separations include discharges, transfers and deaths but exclude discharges of healthy newborn infants.

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TABLE 16. UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS
(Source : Department of Social Security)

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Admissions to benefit during year – | | | | | | |
| Unemployment – | | | | | | |
| Males | 1,851 | 5,223 | 8,179 | 7,739 | 7,966 | 8,700 |
| Females | 991 | 2,341 | 3,486 | 3,497 | 3,475 | 3,800 |
| Persons | 2,842 | 7,564 | 11,665 | 11,236 | 11,441 | 12,500 |
| Sickness – | | | | | | |
| Males | 793 | 787 | 955 | 923 | 778 | 800 |
| Females | 271 | 276 | 417 | 428 | 414 | 400 |
| Persons | 1,064 | 1,063 | 1,372 | 1,351 | 1,192 | 1,200 |
| Special – | | | | | | |
| Males | 5 | 28 | 61 | 88 | 130 | 170 |
| Females | 83 | 67 | 102 | 122 | 176 | 180 |
| Persons | 88 | 95 | 163 | 210 | 306 | 350 |
| Number on benefit at end of year – | | | | | | |
| Unemployment – | | | | | | |
| Males | 128 | 1,087 | 2,198 | 2,435 | 2,865 | 2,819 |
| Females | 66 | 574 | 888 | 909 | 1,123 | 1,034 |
| Persons | 194 | 1,661 | 3,086 | 3,344 | 3,988 | 3,853 |
| Sickness – | | | | | | |
| Males | 208 | 219 | 237 | 240 | 245 | 218 |
| Females | 54 | 45 | 54 | 71 | 53 | 60 |
| Persons | 262 | 264 | 291 | 311 | 298 | 278 |
| Special – | | | | | | |
| Males | 4 | 7 | 18 | 31 | 44 | 64 |
| Females | 30 | 28 | 39 | 51 | 65 | 49 |
| Persons | 34 | 35 | 57 | 82 | 109 | 113 |

TABLE 17. AGE, INVALID, WIDOWS' PENSIONS AND SUPPORTING PARENTS BENEFITS (a)
(Source : Department of Social Security)

| | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of recipients at 30 June – | | | | | | |
| Age Pension – | | | | | | |
| Males | 1,380 | 1,620 | 1,808 | 2,034 | 2,229 | 2,432 |
| Females | 3,182 | 3,570 | 3,964 | 4,298 | 4,649 | 5,094 |
| Wives included above | 79 | 100 | 108 | 136 | 156 | 185 |
| Persons | 4,562 | 5,190 | 5,772 | 6,332 | 6,878 | 7,526 |
| Invalid Pension – | | | | | | |
| Males | 343 | 389 | 488 | 560 | 662 | 773 |
| Females | 342 | 354 | 424 | 478 | 583 | 677 |
| Wives included above | 118 | 142 | 174 | 219 | 281 | 323 |
| Persons | 685 | 743 | 912 | 1,038 | 1,245 | 1,450 |
| Widows' Pension – | | | | | | |
| Class A | 552 | 661 | 757 | 829 | 972 | 1,109 |
| Class B | 319 | 344 | 423 | 513 | 571 | 633 |
| Persons | 871 | 1,005 | 1,180 | 1,342 | 1,543 | 1,742 |
| Supporting Parents Benefit – | | | | | | |
| Males | .. | .. | .. | 43 | 38 | 53 |
| Females | 280 | 415 | 560 | 757 | 884 | 1,151 |
| Recipients per 100 population in relevant age and sex group (b) – | | | | | | |
| Age Pension – | | | | | | |
| A.C.T. | 58.9 | 60.4 | 63.2 | 66.6 | 67.9 | 69.1 |
| Australia | 73.5 | 75.4 | 76.5 | 78.2 | 78.0 | 77.9 |
| Invalid Pension – | | | | | | |
| A.C.T. | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.0 |
| Australia | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.6 |
| Widows' Pension (Class A) and women on Supporting Parents Benefits – | | | | | | |
| A.C.T. | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.2 |
| Australia | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.7 |

(a) For definitions and explanations of various terms see *Year Book Australia* (1301.0), Chapter 9, *Social Security and Welfare*. (b) 1980 figures based on preliminary population estimates.

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UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT RECIPIENTS, A.C.T.

Number

4,000

3,000

2,000

1,000

0

1970 1971 1972 1973 1974 1975 1976 1977 1978 1979 1980

At 30 June

TABLE 18. OTHER SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

(Source: Department of Social Security)

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Family Allowances - | | | | | | |
| Number current at 30 June - | | | | | | |
| Children under 16 years | 62,925 | 66,079 | 68,129 | 69,431 | 70,088 | 70,112 |
| Student children (a) | 4,667 | 5,550 | 6,710 | 7,417 | 7,357 | 7,334 |
| Total | 67,592 | 71,629 | 74,839 | 76,848 | 77,445 | 77,446 |
| Handicapped Child's Allowance - | | | | | | |
| Number current at 30 June | 161 | 242 | 310 | 330 | 364 | 408 |
| Claims granted during year | 161 | 88 | 72 | 68 | 58 | 56 |
| Double Orphans Pensions - | | | | | | |
| Number of orphans at 30 June | 21 | 28 | 21 | 32 | 34 | 41 |
| Number of guardians at 30 June | 21 | 28 | 21 | 30 | 26 | 32 |
| Maternity Allowances - | | | | | | |
| Number of claims granted during year | 4,043 | 4,140 | 4,433 | 4,438 | 1,853 | (b) |

(a) Prior to 15 June 1976 paid for students under 21, thereafter for students under 24 years of age. (b) Maternity allowances were abolished from 1 November 1978.

TABLE 19. ADOPTIONS

(Source: Department of Capital Territory)

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Number of children adopted - | | | | | | |
| By natural parent(s) | 30 | 20 | 29 | 32 | 37 | 48 |
| By other persons | 93 | 67 | 53 | 23 | 19 | 37 |
| Total | 123 | 87 | 82 | 55 | 56 | 85 |
| Number of applicants awaiting placement of children at 30 June (a) | n.a. | 203 | 175 | 142 | 100 | 165 |

(a) Adoption application list closed January 1976, reopened in 1977-78 for the adoption of children from interstate or overseas only and reopened in May 1980 for persons wishing to adopt locally born children.

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TABLE 20. RECIPIENTS OF SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

(Cash Assistance)

(Source : Department of Social Security)

| | Percentage of Recipients | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
| Separated and deserted persons | 54.4 | 71.7 | 74.1 | 74.1 | 74.5 | 78.8 |
| Unmarried mothers | 10.2 | 11.9 | 11.0 | 10.0 | 12.4 | 18.1 |
| Divorcees | 3.6 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 2.5 | 1.8 |
| Widows (incl. widowed de facto wife) | 3.9 | 0.2 | — | — | — | — |
| Women with husbands in gaol | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.4 | — | — | 0.2 |
| Women with husbands ill or in hospital | 2.3 | 0.2 | — | — | — | 0.3 |
| Awaiting sickness benefit | 4.2 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 0.3 |
| Awaiting unemployment benefit | 16.5 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 8.0 | 6.7 | 0.4 |
| Awaiting invalid pension | 3.9 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Awaiting age pension | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | — | — |
| Awaiting widows' pension | — | — | — | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| <i>Total percent</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Total number of recipients | 613 | 577 | 717 | 880 | 1,010 | 1,042 |

TABLE 21. DEPARTMENT OF THE CAPITAL TERRITORY : SOCIAL WELFARE BENEFITS

(Number of Recipients by Type of Benefit)

(Source : Department of the Capital Territory)

| Category of recipient | Type of benefit | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Cash payments | Food orders (a) | School clothing (b) | Medical goods | Spectacles | Funeral expenses | Total |
| 1979-80 — | | | | | | | |
| Separated and deserted persons | 811 | 15 | — | 2 | — | — | 828 |
| Unmarried mothers | 189 | 4 | — | 2 | — | — | 195 |
| Divorcees | 19 | 2 | 1 | — | — | — | 22 |
| Awaiting invalid pension | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | 6 |
| Awaiting sickness benefit | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | 3 |
| Awaiting unemployment benefit | 4 | — | 1 | — | — | — | 5 |
| Awaiting widows' pension | 5 | — | — | — | — | — | 5 |
| Age pensioners | — | — | — | 6 | 462 | — | 468 |
| Invalid pensioners | — | — | — | 15 | 135 | — | 150 |
| Widow pensioners and supporting parent's beneficiaries | — | — | 172 | 10 | 230 | — | 412 |
| Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries | — | — | 1 | 3 | 187 | — | 191 |
| Families with relatives in gaol | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | (c)15 |
| Low income families | 3 | 2 | 342 | 8 | — | — | 355 |
| Deceased persons | — | — | — | — | — | 6 | 6 |
| Total 1979-80 | 1,042 | 23 | 517 | 46 | 1,014 | 6 | 2,661 |
| Total 1978-79 | 1,010 | 48 | 168 | 25 | 747 | 13 | 2,011 |
| Total 1977-78 | 880 | 50 | 78 | 10 | 438 | 6 | 1,462 |

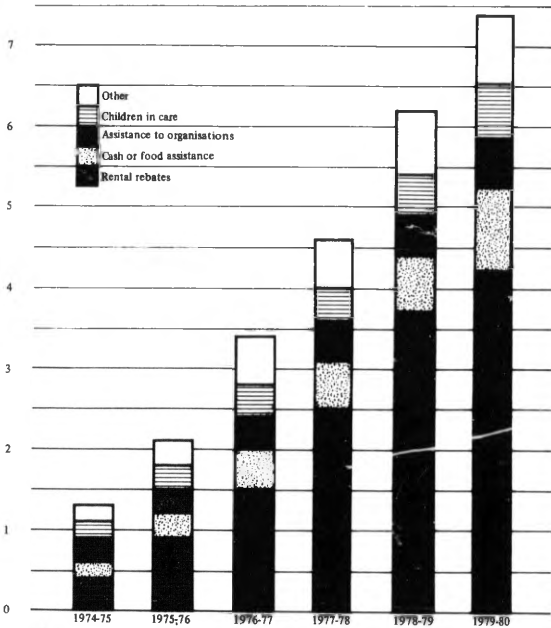
(a) Excludes those who also received cash payments (258 in 1979-80). (b) Excludes those who also received cash payments, or food orders (72 in 1979-80). (c) Includes 13 families given cash assistance to visit relatives in N.S.W. gaols.

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WELFARE EXPENDITURE, A.C.T.

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(Source: Department of the Capital Territory, Welfare Branch Annual Reports)

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TABLE 22. WELFARE AND OTHER COMMUNITY SERVICES

The information in the following table has been supplied by various Commonwealth Government Departments or by the individual authorities.

| <i>Service or organisation</i> | <i>1974-75</i> | <i>1975-76</i> | <i>1976-77</i> | <i>1977-78</i> | <i>1978-79</i> | <i>1979-80</i> |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Educational Clinics - | | | | | | |
| Diagnostic test sessions | 572 | 1,218 | 588 | 522 | 543 | n.y.a. |
| Remedial teaching sessions | 150 | 86 | 80 | 123 | 115 | n.y.a. |
| Parent interviews | 361 | 928 | 392 | 379 | 443 | n.y.a. |
| New referrals | 188 | 390 | 180 | 177 | 221 | n.y.a. |
| Re-referrals | 70 | 117 | 66 | 55 | 67 | n.y.a. |
| Government Special Schools - | | | | | | |
| Number of schools | 3 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Number enrolled at August (a) | 109 | 196 | 267 | 308 | 288 | 329 |
| Emergency Housekeeper Service - | | | | | | |
| Number of new cases | 41 | 39 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 14 |
| Total period worked (number of weeks) | 64 | 45 | 21 | 13 | 15 | 17 |
| Home Help Service - | | | | | | |
| Number of new cases | 577 | 582 | 493 | 523 | 532 | 529 |
| Total period worked (number of hours) | 28,011 | 33,719 | 36,530 | 39,298 | 41,821 | 44,404 |
| Approved marriage counselling services (b) - | | | | | | |
| Marriage counselling cases | 768 | 911 | 1,018 | 990 | 915 | 1,045 |
| Marriage counselling interviews | 3,944 | 4,264 | 3,822 | 3,799 | 4,209 | 4,090 |
| Pre-marital counselling cases | 151 | 74 | 105 | 141 | (c) | (c) |
| Pre-marital counselling interviews | 433 | 220 | 381 | 625 | (c) | (c) |
| Dr Barnardo's Homes (d) - | | | | | | |
| Number of children resident at 31 March | 20 | 17 | 12 | 21 | 14 | 16 |
| Marymead Children's Centre (Franciscan Missionaries of Mary) - | | | | | | |
| Number of children accommodated during year | 397 | 402 | 351 | 365 | 399 | 396 |
| Outreach Homes—Number resident at 31 March | 6 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 6 |
| Goodwin Village - | | | | | | |
| Goodwin Cottages—Number resident at 31 July | 58 | 57 | 58 | 61 | 59 | 62 |
| Goodwin House—Number resident at 31 July | 68 | 64 | 65 | 67 | 66 | 64 |
| Sir Leslie Morshead War Veterans Home - | | | | | | |
| Number resident at 30 September | 37 | 35 | 35 | 30 | 29 | 37 |
| Karingal Court Aged Persons Units (Salvation Army) - | | | | | | |
| Number resident | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 40 |
| Society of St Vincent de Paul Men's Hostel (-) - | | | | | | |
| Average number accommodated each night | 16.1 | 14.5 | 7.2 | 8.0 | 8.6 | 9.9 |
| Meals (including cut lunches) provided | 13,184 | 13,055 | 7,081 | 7,333 | 8,504 | 9,511 |
| Emergency Accommodation Centre for Women and Girls, (Society of St Vincent de Paul) (e) (f) - | | | | | | |
| Average number accommodated each night | 0.3 | 6.5 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 7.0 | 6.0 |
| Meals provided | 697 | 6,500 | 5,400 | 6,440 | 7,665 | 6,406 |
| Women's Refuge (g) - | | | | | | |
| Total women resident | - | 160 | 198 | 176 | 215 | n.y.a. |
| Total children resident | - | 178 | 259 | 261 | 290 | n.y.a. |

(a) As at the August school census. (b) The Canberra Marriage Guidance Council and the Marriage Counselling Section of the Catholic Welfare Organisation, which are approved organisations under the provisions of the *Family Law Act 1975*. (c) Included in Marriage Counselling cases/interviews. (d) 1976-77, 1977-78, 1978-79 refer to 30 June. (e) Year ended 30 September. Excludes late admittances and persons referred to alternate accommodation at the Society's expense. (f) Opened August 1975. (g) Opened March 1975.

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TABLE 23. CENTRE-BASED DAY CARE FACILITIES FOR CHILDREN IN THE A.C.T., APRIL 1980
(Source : Department of the Capital Territory)

| <i>Districts, centres and child places (a)</i> | <i>Occasional care</i> | <i>Regular part-time care</i> | <i>Full day care</i> | <i>Play centres</i> | <i>After school care</i> | <i>School holiday care</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
| North Canberra - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 3 | 3 | 6 | - | 3 | 6 | 21 |
| Child places | 80 | 115 | 318 | - | 75 | 455 | 1,043 |
| South Canberra - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 1 | - | 3 | - | 2 | 3 | 9 |
| Child places | 55 | - | 120 | - | 65 | 150 | 390 |
| Belconnen - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 7 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 17 |
| Child places | 190 | 34 | 150 | 20 | 45 | 150 | 589 |
| Woden - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 1 | - | 3 | - | 3 | 3 | 10 |
| Child places | 55 | - | 194 | - | 80 | 95 | 424 |
| Weston - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 1 | - | 2 | - | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Child places | 25 | - | 43 | - | 72 | 50 | 190 |
| Tuggeranong - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 2 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| Child places | 45 | - | - | 40 | 35 | 75 | 195 |
| Total - | | | | | | | |
| No. of centres | 15 | 4 | 18 | 3 | 13 | 18 | 71 |
| Child places | 450 | 149 | 825 | 60 | 372 | 975 | 2,831 |

(a) *Child places* refers to the number of children who can be accommodated at any one time rather than the number of children actually attending.

TABLE 24. FAMILY DAY CARE FACILITIES FOR CHILDREN IN THE A.C.T., APRIL 1980
(Source : Department of the Capital Territory)

| <i>Districts</i> | <i>Number of</i> | | |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| | <i>Schemes</i> | <i>Home care givers (a)</i> | <i>Child places (b)</i> |
| North and South Canberra | 1 | 72 | 150 |
| Belconnen | 3 | 248 | 359 |
| Woden | 1 | 71 | 149 |
| Weston | 1 | 60 | 125 |
| Tuggeranong | 2 | 220 | 228 |
| Total | 8 | 671 | 1,011 |

(a) Mothers accepted into family day care programs to mind children in their own homes. (b) *Child places* refers to the number of children that can be accommodated at any one time rather than the number of children actually attending.

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TABLE 25. CRIMINAL OFFENCES REPORTED OR BECOMING KNOWN TO POLICE IN THE A.C.T. (a)
(Source : A.C.T. and Australian Federal Police Commissioner's Annual Reports)

| Offence group | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Homicide | 7 | 3 | — |
| Culpable driving | 3 | 8 | 4 |
| Assault | 375 | 392 | 281 |
| Robbery | 17 | 27 | 24 |
| Sex offences | 138 | 126 | 124 |
| Break and enter | 1,733 | 1,900 | 1,689 |
| Motor vehicle theft | 593 | 536 | 456 |
| Larceny/theft | 4,666 | 5,274 | 5,123 |
| Fraud, forgery, false pretences | 744 | 1,085 | 712 |
| Property damage | 1,146 | 1,220 | 1,245 |
| Other | 991 | 812 | 689 |
| Total | 10,413 | 11,383 | 10,347 |

(a) In October 1979, members of the A.C.T. Police were incorporated with members of the Commonwealth Police to form the Australian Federal Police. Figures shown for 1979-80 include Commonwealth offences reported to police in the A.C.T. from October 1979.

TABLE 26. GOVERNMENT PRE-SCHOOLS : NUMBER OF CENTRES, PRIMARY CONTACT STAFF AND ENROLMENTS (a), PRE-SCHOOL CENSUS, NOVEMBER 1980
(Source : A.C.T. Schools Authority)

| | Centres | Primary contact staff (f.t.e.) (b) | Children enrolled and regularly attending (a) | Children enrolled, who attended during Census week (a) |
|---|-----------|------------------------------------|---|--|
| Pre-schools | 74 | 215.2 | 5,225 | 4,845 |
| Pre-school component of special schools | 5 | 17.9 | 78 | 77 |
| Total | 79 | 233.1 | 5,303 | 4,922 |

(a) Two types of enrolment figures are supplied, the number of children enrolled and regularly attending a pre-school service (excluding attendance at play groups), and the number of children enrolled regularly attending and who attended during the November census week. (b) Primary contact staff include teachers, nurses, child care workers and aides. Figures for staff are expressed in full-time equivalent units.

TABLE 27. GOVERNMENT PRE-SCHOOLS : CHILDREN ATTENDING DURING CENSUS WEEK, CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND HOURS OF ATTENDANCE, PRE-SCHOOL CENSUS, NOVEMBER 1980
(Source : A.C.T. Schools Authority)

| Actual number of hours attended during census week | Age as at 1 November 1980 | | | | Total |
|--|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | 6 years and over | 5 years | 4 years | Less than 4 years | |
| Less than 5 hours | 1 | 49 | 248 | 309 | 607 |
| At least 5 but less than 10 | — | 583 | 1,437 | 158 | 2,178 |
| At least 10 but less than 15 | — | 690 | 1,323 | 31 | 2,044 |
| At least 15 but less than 20 | — | 21 | 31 | 3 | 55 |
| At least 20 but less than 29 | 11 | 13 | 12 | — | 36 |
| At least 30 but less than 39 | 2 | — | — | — | 2 |
| 40 hours or more | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total | 14 | 1,356 | 3,051 | 501 | 4,922 |

(Source : A.C.T. Schools Authority)

(a) Primary contact staff include teachers, nurses, child care workers and aides. (b) Total number of qualifications differ from total number of primary contact staff because some staff reported more than one qualification.

NOTE: "Recognised qualifications" are those recognised by the A.C.T. Schools Authority.

TABLE 29. SCHOOLS : PRIMARY AND SECONDARY STUDENTS CLASSIFIED BY CATEGORY OF SCHOOL

| Category of school | Australian Capital Territory | | | | | | Australia | | |
|--------------------|------------------------------|--------|--------|------------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|
| | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
| | Number | | | Percentage | | | Percentage | | |
| PRIMARY | | | | | | | | | |
| Government | 25,281 | 24,862 | 24,801 | 75.2 | 73.4 | 72.5 | 80.8 | 80.5 | 80.0 |
| Non-government | 8,316 | 9,013 | 9,406 | 24.8 | 26.6 | 27.5 | 19.2 | 19.5 | 20.0 |
| Total | 33,597 | 33,875 | 34,207 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| SECONDARY | | | | | | | | | |
| Government | 14,492 | 14,484 | 14,467 | 69.8 | 68.8 | 67.5 | 75.1 | 74.3 | 73.6 |
| Non-government | 6,259 | 6,555 | 6,960 | 30.2 | 31.2 | 32.5 | 24.9 | 25.7 | 26.4 |
| Total | 20,751 | 21,039 | 21,427 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | | |
| Government | 39,773 | 39,346 | 39,268 | 73.2 | 71.7 | 70.6 | 78.7 | 78.2 | 77.7 |
| Non-government | 14,575 | 15,568 | 16,366 | 26.8 | 28.3 | 29.4 | 21.3 | 21.8 | 22.3 |
| Total | 54,348 | 54,914 | 55,634 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 30. SCHOOLS : STUDENTS AND TEACHERS, 1980

| Category of school | Students | | | Teachers (a) | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Males | Females | Persons | Males | Females | Persons |
| PRIMARY | | | | | | |
| Government | 12,771 | 12,030 | 24,801 | 296 | 977 | 1,273 |
| Non-government – | | | | | | |
| Roman Catholic | 4,372 | 4,024 | 8,396 | 52 | 294 | 346 |
| Church of England | 335 | 379 | 714 | 9 | 27 | 36 |
| Other | 141 | 155 | 296 | 8 | 12 | 20 |
| <i>Total</i> | <i>4,848</i> | <i>4,558</i> | <i>9,406</i> | <i>70</i> | <i>334</i> | <i>403</i> |
| <i>Total primary</i> | <i>17,619</i> | <i>16,588</i> | <i>34,207</i> | <i>366</i> | <i>1,311</i> | <i>1,676</i> |
| SECONDARY | | | | | | |
| Government | 7,081 | 7,386 | 14,467 | 613 | 637 | 1,250 |
| Non-government – | | | | | | |
| Roman Catholic | 2,984 | 2,431 | 5,415 | 153 | 169 | 322 |
| Church of England | 786 | 669 | 1,455 | 53 | 54 | 107 |
| Other | 49 | 41 | 90 | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| <i>Total</i> | <i>3,819</i> | <i>3,141</i> | <i>6,960</i> | <i>209</i> | <i>226</i> | <i>435</i> |
| <i>Total secondary</i> | <i>10,900</i> | <i>10,527</i> | <i>21,427</i> | <i>822</i> | <i>863</i> | <i>1,685</i> |
| TOTAL | | | | | | |
| Government | 19,852 | 19,416 | 39,268 | 909 | 1,614 | 2,523 |
| Non-government – | | | | | | |
| Roman Catholic | 7,356 | 6,455 | 13,811 | 205 | 463 | 668 |
| Church of England | 1,121 | 1,048 | 2,169 | 62 | 81 | 144 |
| Other | 190 | 196 | 386 | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| <i>Total</i> | <i>8,667</i> | <i>7,699</i> | <i>16,366</i> | <i>279</i> | <i>560</i> | <i>838</i> |
| Total all schools | 28,519 | 27,115 | 55,634 | 1,187 | 2,174 | 3,361 |

(a) Full-time teachers plus the full-time equivalents of 352 part-time teachers.

A.C.T. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLMENTS : ACTUAL 1972-80 PROJECTED 1981-90

Enrolments

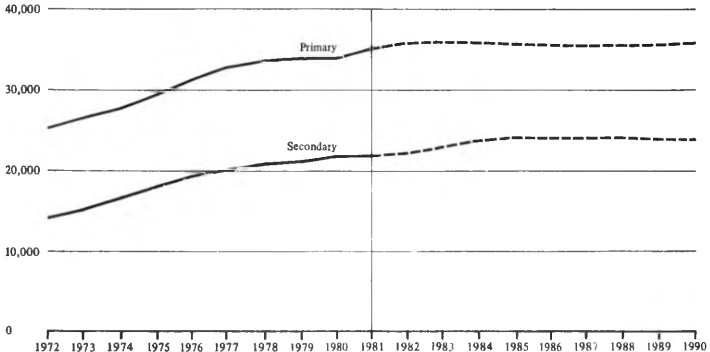


TABLE 31. SCHOOLS : AGE AND YEAR OF EDUCATION OF STUDENTS, 1980
(Age last birthday — years)

| Year of education | Under 6 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 and over | All ages |
|----------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-------------|----------|
| Primary — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kindergarten | 4,094 | 455 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 4,557 |
| Year 1 | 36 | 3,963 | 877 | 29 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 4,925 |
| Year 2 | — | 51 | 3,645 | 903 | 25 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 4,626 |
| Year 3 | — | — | 56 | 3,960 | 1,042 | 43 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 5,101 |
| Year 4 | — | — | — | 74 | 3,807 | 1,124 | 40 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 5,045 |
| Year 5 | — | — | — | — | 71 | 3,321 | 1,126 | 47 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 4,566 |
| Year 6 | — | — | — | — | — | 86 | 2,989 | 1,149 | 50 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 4,275 |
| Ungraded special | 7 | 25 | 46 | 42 | 36 | 33 | 46 | 26 | 7 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 263 |
| Ungraded non-special | 71 | 83 | 82 | 95 | 57 | 58 | 53 | 15 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 514 |
| Total primary (a) | 4,252 | 4,599 | 4,745 | 5,126 | 5,066 | 4,690 | 4,278 | 1,261 | 84 | 23 | 27 | 26 | 16 | 10 | 4 | 34,207 |
| Secondary — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Year 7 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 98 | 2,870 | 1,067 | 41 | 7 | — | — | — | — | 4,083 |
| Year 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 64 | 2,740 | 1,101 | 62 | 9 | — | — | — | 3,976 |
| Year 9 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 53 | 2,473 | 1,292 | 99 | 10 | 1 | — | 3,928 |
| Year 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 77 | 2,307 | 1,187 | 77 | 4 | 2 | 3,654 |
| Year 11 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 67 | 1,965 | 893 | 79 | 69 | 3,073 |
| Year 12 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 3 | 73 | 1,615 | 746 | 101 | 2,538 |
| Ungraded special | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 22 | 32 | 42 | 30 | 22 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 167 |
| Ungraded non-special | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 3 | 4 | 1 | — | — | — | — | 8 |
| Total secondary | — | — | — | — | — | — | 99 | 2,956 | 3,895 | 3,738 | 3,769 | 3,355 | 2,606 | 833 | 176 | 21,427 |
| Ungraded special (a) | 44 | 22 | 11 | 23 | 28 | 23 | 24 | 24 | 26 | 21 | 27 | 26 | 16 | 10 | 4 | 329 |
| Total | 4,252 | 4,599 | 4,745 | 5,126 | 5,066 | 4,690 | 4,377 | 4,217 | 3,979 | 3,761 | 3,796 | 3,381 | 2,622 | 843 | 180 | 55,634 |

(a) Ungraded special students have been included in the total primary sub-total.

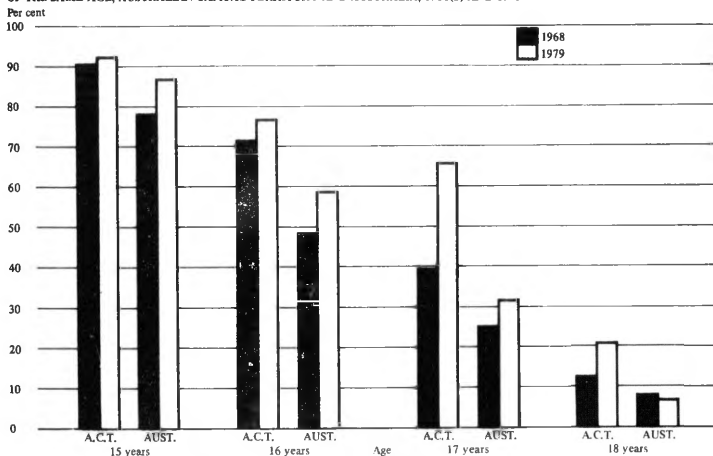
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TABLE 32. SCHOOLS : STUDENTS AGED 15 TO 18 YEARS AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION OF THE SAME AGE (a) : A.C.T. AND AUSTRALIA
(Per cent)

| Age | 1968 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY | | | | | | |
| 15 | 90.8 | 87.4 | 90.2 | 95.2 | 97.8 | 92.4 |
| 16 | 71.3 | 73.8 | 78.4 | 74.5 | 82.0 | 76.6 |
| 17 | 39.7 | 49.2 | 53.7 | 61.6 | 63.2 | 65.8 |
| 18 (b) | 12.7 | 11.8 | 13.2 | 18.1 | 21.4 | 20.7 |
| AUSTRALIA | | | | | | |
| 15 | 78.1 | 84.5 | 85.8 | 86.0 | 87.2 | 86.9 |
| 16 | 48.5 | 55.9 | 58.3 | 58.6 | 59.3 | 58.7 |
| 17 | 25.1 | 30.2 | 31.4 | 32.0 | 32.1 | 31.5 |
| 18 (b) | 8.1 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.8 |

(a) Based on population estimates at 30 June. (b) In 1968, students aged 18 years and over are shown as percentages of the 18 year old population; school participation rates on the same basis for 1979 are 24.8 for the Australian Capital Territory and 8.5 for Australia.

STUDENTS AGED 15 TO 18 YEARS AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION OF THE SAME AGE, AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY AND AUSTRALIA, 1968(a) AND 1979



(a) For 1968, students aged 18 years and over are shown as percentages of the 18 year old population.

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TABLE 33. CANBERRA COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION : STUDENTS ENROLLED IN APPROVED COURSES (a) BY COURSE LEVEL

| <i>Course level</i> | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Master degree | 57 | 78 | 123 | 168 | 214 | 257 |
| Graduate diploma | 673 | 705 | 680 | 770 | 856 | 883 |
| Bachelor degree | 3,211 | 3,424 | 3,590 | 3,769 | 3,703 | 3,796 |
| Diploma | 262 | 222 | 266 | 261 | 241 | 169 |
| Associate diploma | 37 | 116 | 46 | 67 | 76 | 132 |
| Males | 2,419 | 2,577 | 2,589 | 2,750 | 2,744 | 2,841 |
| Females | 1,821 | 1,968 | 2,116 | 2,285 | 2,346 | 2,396 |
| Total | 4,240 | 4,545 | 4,705 | 5,035 | 5,090 | 5,237 |

(a) Courses approved for funding by the Tertiary Education Commission.

TABLE 34. CANBERRA COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION : STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED APPROVED COURSES (a) BY FIELD OF STUDY

| <i>Field of study</i> | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Applied science | 123 | 191 | 198 | 239 | 237 | 313 |
| Art and design | — | — | 8 | 22 | 123 | 26 |
| Building, surveying and architecture | — | — | 15 | 38 | 35 | 34 |
| Commercial and business studies | 88 | 127 | 189 | 192 | 193 | 184 |
| Engineering and technology | — | — | — | — | 1 | 4 |
| Liberal studies | 91 | 97 | 171 | 219 | 225 | 281 |
| Music | — | — | — | 5 | 5 | 4 |
| Para-medical studies | — | — | 20 | 9 | 15 | 27 |
| Teacher education | 201 | 272 | 372 | 205 | 254 | 211 |
| Total | 503 | 687 | 973 | 929 | 988 | 1,084 |

(a) Courses approved for funding by the Tertiary Education Commission.

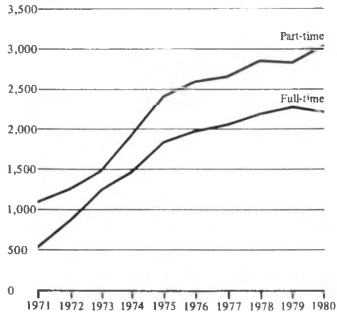
TABLE 35. CANBERRA COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION : STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED APPROVED COURSES (a) BY COURSE LEVEL

| <i>Course level</i> | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
|---------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Master degree | — | 4 | 9 | 13 | 15 | 18 |
| Graduate diploma | 231 | 278 | 353 | 307 | 250 | 348 |
| Bachelor degree | 209 | 328 | 455 | 474 | 570 | 562 |
| Diploma | 44 | 60 | 83 | 93 | 104 | 100 |
| Associate diploma | 19 | 17 | 73 | 42 | 49 | 56 |
| Males | 262 | 300 | 478 | 461 | 445 | 537 |
| Females | 241 | 387 | 495 | 468 | 543 | 547 |
| Total | 503 | 687 | 973 | 929 | 988 | 1,084 |

(a) Courses approved for funding by the Tertiary Education Commission.

A.C.T. ADVANCED EDUCATION STUDENTS

Number of students



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TABLE 36. AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY : STUDENTS ENROLLED
BY COURSE LEVEL

| Course level | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Doctorate | 490 | 524 | 528 | 532 | 506 | 517 |
| Master degree | 280 | 327 | 360 | 338 | 313 | 281 |
| Post-graduate diploma | — | — | — | — | (a)28 | 78 |
| Bachelor degree | 4,612 | 4,760 | 4,585 | 4,493 | 4,671 | 4,788 |
| Other | 504 | 491 | 420 | 488 | 483 | 448 |
| Males | 3,753 | 3,798 | 3,591 | 3,543 | 3,543 | 3,567 |
| Females | 2,133 | 2,304 | 2,302 | 2,308 | 2,458 | 2,545 |
| Total | 5,886 | 6,102 | 5,893 | 5,851 | 6,001 | 6,112 |

(a) Students enrolled in a Post-graduate Diploma course in International Law which was offered by the university for the first time in 1979.

TABLE 37. AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY : STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED
COURSES BY COURSE LEVEL

| Course level | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Doctorate | 120 | 94 | 123 | 105 | 134 | 131 |
| Master degree | 53 | 81 | 91 | 97 | 102 | 97 |
| Bachelor degree | 980 | 1,022 | 1,110 | 1,105 | 1,118 | 1,093 |
| Males | 782 | 804 | 823 | 824 | 832 | 810 |
| Females | 371 | 393 | 501 | 483 | 522 | 511 |
| Total | 1,153 | 1,197 | 1,324 | 1,307 | 1,354 | 1,321 |

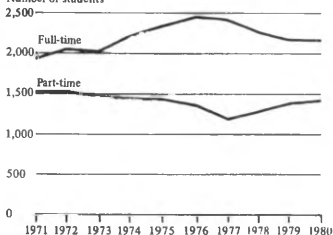
TABLE 38. AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY : STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED
BACHELOR DEGREE COURSES BY FIELD OF STUDY

| Field of study | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Humanities | 480 | 529 | 578 | 513 | 547 | 507 |
| Law | 72 | 83 | 100 | 89 | 91 | 113 |
| Economics, commerce, government | 178 | 154 | 179 | 173 | 181 | 163 |
| Natural sciences | 209 | 205 | 202 | 283 | 242 | 254 |
| Agriculture, forestry | 41 | 51 | 51 | 48 | 57 | 56 |
| Males | 640 | 664 | 653 | 662 | 641 | 630 |
| Females | 340 | 358 | 457 | 443 | 477 | 463 |
| Total | 980 | 1,022 | 1,110 | 1,105 | 1,118 | 1,093 |

A.C.T. UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

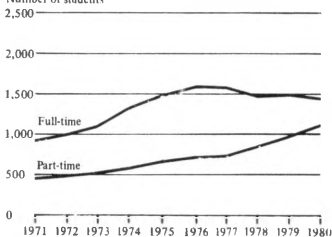
Male

Number of students



Female

Number of students



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TABLE 39. TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION (a) : ENROLMENTS AND TEACHING EFFORT BY STREAM OF STUDY, 1979

(Source : Tertiary Education Commission)

| Stream of study | Enrolments | | | Teaching Effort ('000 hours) (b) | | |
|-------------------|------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Full-time | Part-time | Total | Full-time | Part-time | Total |
| Professional | — | — | — | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.9 |
| Para-professional | 325 | 3,301 | 3,626 | 41.4 | 25.2 | 66.6 |
| Trades | 29 | 2,196 | 2,225 | 40.3 | 8.7 | 49.0 |
| Other skilled | 291 | 6,209 | 6,500 | 28.7 | 20.8 | 49.5 |
| Preparatory | 225 | 2,307 | 2,532 | 19.6 | 31.0 | 50.6 |
| Adult education | — | 1,656 | 1,656 | 3.0 | 3.3 | 6.4 |
| Total | 870 | 15,669 | 16,539 | 133.7 | 89.4 | 223.0 |

(a) Enrolment and staff data relate to the 1978 teaching year. (b) Actual teaching hours performed by teachers over the teaching year.

TABLE 40. PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICES

| | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Issues, year ended 30 June — | | | | | | |
| Adult libraries | 943,594 | 1,044,136 | 976,436 | 983,543 | 942,193 | 1,124,414 |
| Children's libraries | 401,891 | 377,990 | 324,831 | 331,113 | 344,106 | 319,180 |
| Total issues | 1,345,485 | 1,422,126 | 1,301,267 | 1,314,656 | 1,286,299 | 1,443,594 |
| Stock total at 30 June — | | | | | | |
| Adult libraries | 287,418 | 299,565 | 310,764 | 320,323 | 326,328 | 332,023 |
| Children's libraries | 168,619 | 175,261 | 178,588 | 179,510 | 181,137 | 183,177 |
| Total stock | 456,037 | 474,826 | 489,352 | 499,833 | 507,465 | 515,200 |

NOTE: Membership at 30 June 1980 was : Adult libraries, 47,031; Children's libraries, 23,154; Total, 70,185.

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TABLE 41. COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION (a)
(\$'000)

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 (p) |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|
| Current outlay — | | | | | | |
| Government schools and preschools (b) — | | | | | | |
| Salaries and wages | 27,592 | 36,851 | 43,462 | 50,636 | 53,951 | 58,776 |
| Transportation of students | 887 | 1,419 | 1,760 | 1,892 | 2,064 | 2,148 |
| Contract school cleaning | 1,763 | 2,321 | 2,779 | 2,759 | 2,921 | 2,956 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 736 | 869 | 794 | 726 | 1,541 | 2,191 |
| Other | 2,144 | 3,663 | 4,353 | 5,273 | 5,969 | 6,090 |
| Non-government schools assistance — | | | | | | |
| Per-capita grants | 3,501 | 4,362 | 6,032 | 7,119 | 8,596 | 10,381 |
| Interest subsidy | 794 | 634 | 801 | 1,218 | 1,113 | 1,034 |
| Other grants and allowances | 67 | 152 | 197 | 247 | 313 | 363 |
| Technical and further education — | | | | | | |
| Canberra School of Music | 412 | 537 | 735 | 850 | 939 | 1,120 |
| Canberra School of Art | .. | 364 | 493 | 704 | 798 | 990 |
| Other TAFE Colleges | 3,718 | 4,605 | 5,913 | 7,089 | 8,602 | 10,087 |
| Canberra College of Advanced Education | 7,558 | 9,575 | 12,083 | 12,466 | 14,327 | 16,046 |
| Total | 49,172 | 65,352 | 79,402 | 90,979 | 101,134 | 112,182 |
| Less Fees | 136 | 106 | 304 | 360 | 438 | 517 |
| Total current outlay | 49,037 | 65,246 | 79,097 | 90,619 | 100,696 | 111,665 |
| Capital outlay — | | | | | | |
| Government schools and colleges — | | | | | | |
| By National Capital Development Commission — | | | | | | |
| Primary and Pre-schools | 6,272 | 6,537 | 6,717 | 1,937 | 2,784 | 2,216 |
| Secondary schools | 6,567 | 13,728 | 11,947 | 7,241 | 5,390 | 1,993 |
| Technical Colleges | 1,579 | 4,290 | 6,616 | 7,628 | 7,277 | 9,133 |
| Other education buildings | 1,879 | 3,533 | 1,090 | 3,320 | 2,266 | 4,647 |
| By Department of Construction — | | | | | | |
| Building and works | 93 | 2 | — | 304 | 34 | 3 |
| Furniture and fittings | 787 | 1,071 | 582 | 622 | 832 | 573 |
| Plant and equipment | 1,077 | 1,589 | 1,835 | 1,095 | 1,153 | 931 |
| Canberra College of Advanced Education | 3,852 | 3,381 | 2,395 | 4,214 | 932 | 1,220 |
| Non-government schools assistance — | | | | | | |
| Approved capital programs (c) | 3,450 | 3,691 | 2,781 | 3,332 | 2,872 | 2,658 |
| Total capital outlay | 25,556 | 37,822 | 33,963 | 29,693 | 23,540 | 23,374 |
| Total outlay | 74,593 | 103,068 | 113,060 | 120,312 | 124,236 | 135,039 |

(a) Excludes the Australian National University. Commonwealth Government payments to the University in 1979-80 amounted to \$88,204,000 for current purposes and \$221,000 for capital payments. (b) Includes pre-school running expenses in 1979-80 of \$2,952,000. (c) Grants for private capital purposes.

TABLE 42. CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS (a)

| Australian Capital Territory | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|-------|--------------|---------------------|--|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| August | Employed | Unemployed | | Labour force | Not in labour force | Civilian population aged 15 years and over | Unemployment rate (b) | Participation rate (c) | Australia | |
| | | Looking for full-time work | Total | | | | | | Unemployment rate (b) | Participation rate (c) |
| — '000 persons — | | | | | | — per cent — | | | | |
| 1975 | 93.0 | * | * | 94.4 | 34.0 | 128.4 | * | 73.5 | 4.6 | 61.6 |
| 1976 | 90.7 | 5.6 | 6.8 | 97.5 | 38.3 | 135.8 | 7.0 | 71.8 | 4.7 | 61.3 |
| 1977 | 95.8 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 100.1 | 39.3 | 139.4 | 4.2 | 71.8 | 5.7 | 61.8 |
| 1978 | 97.1 | 3.6 | 6.2 | 103.2 | 40.9 | 144.1 | 6.0 | 71.6 | 6.2 | 60.7 |
| 1979 | 96.9 | 4.5 | 6.3 | 103.2 | 45.6 | 148.8 | 6.1 | 69.4 | 5.8 | 60.1 |
| 1980 | 103.5 | 4.2 | 6.0 | 109.5 | 46.4 | 155.9 | 5.4 | 70.2 | 5.9 | 61.1 |

(a) For scope of estimates, definitions and current estimates see the latest issue of the monthly bulletin *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0). (b) The number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force. (c) The labour force expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 years and over.

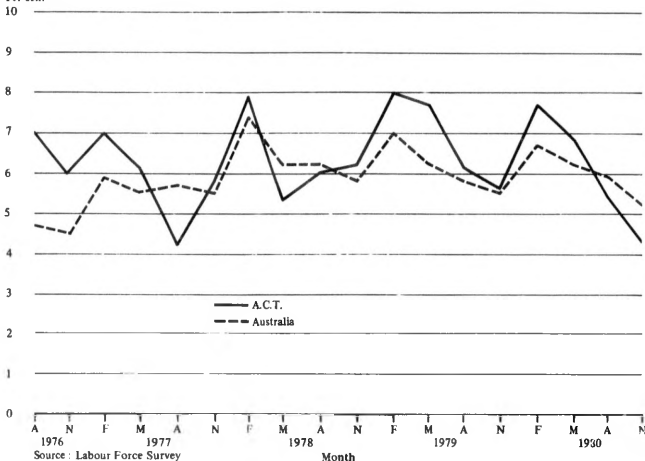
* Less than or based on a figure less than 2,000. See the technical note to *The Labour Force, Australia* (6203.0).

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UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, A.C.T. AND AUSTRALIA (PERSONS)

(THE UNEMPLOYED IN EACH GROUP AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE CIVILIAN LABOUR FORCE IN THE SAME GROUP)

Per cent

TABLE 43. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT (a)
(\$)

| Period | A.C.T. (b) | | Aust. | |
|---------------------|------------|---------------------|----------|---------------------|
| | Original | Seasonally Adjusted | Original | Seasonally Adjusted |
| 1977-78 | 259.10 | .. | 209.50 | .. |
| 1978-79 | 279.50 | .. | 225.70 | .. |
| 1979-80 | 305.60 | .. | 247.60 | .. |
| 1978-79 - June qtr | 284.20 | 285.20 | 232.80 | 231.10 |
| 1979-80 - Sept. qtr | 296.60 | 295.40 | 238.30 | 238.50 |
| Dec. qtr | 307.10 | 302.30 | 248.50 | 243.90 |
| Mar. qtr | 308.70 | 312.60 | 245.70 | 250.80 |
| June qtr | 310.20 | 314.40 | 258.00 | 258.70 |
| 1980-81 - Sept. qtr | 329.30 | 329.00 | 268.70 | 268.60 |

(a) Particulars of wages and salaries paid are not available for males and females separately; estimates have therefore been calculated in terms of male units, i.e. total male employees plus a proportion of female employees, the proportion being derived from the estimated ratio of female to male average earnings in each State. The ratio used in the current quarter for Australia is approximately 66.5 per cent. For further details on the separate State ratios see *Average Weekly Earnings, Australia* (6302.0). (b) Original series estimates have been calculated on a basis which excludes the effects of varying numbers of Australian Government pay-days in each quarter.

Original Series. Estimates of average weekly earnings are made each quarter in respect of both full-time and part-time civilian wage and salary earners in all industries combined. The earnings figures used in the calculation of the averages comprise award and over-award wages and salaries, the earnings of employees not covered by awards, overtime earnings, etc., and includes payments made retrospectively or in advance during the quarter. Particulars of employment and wages and salaries are derived from payroll tax returns and from direct returns from government and other bodies. For a more detailed explanation of the methods used, see *Average Weekly Earnings, Australia* (6302.0).

Seasonally adjusted series. Quarterly estimates are affected by seasonal influences. For example special payments, including prepayments for holiday periods tend to raise the December quarter and to depress the March quarter averages. In addition, figures for all quarters are affected by the varying incidence of pay-days in successive quarters. Allowance for the varying incidence of pay-days and for seasonal factors has been made in calculating the seasonally adjusted estimates. It should also be noted that seasonal adjustment factors were estimated from a series adjusted to allow for the effects of major awards and determinations of Federal and State industrial authorities. The effects of these awards and determinations are retained in the seasonally adjusted data. A detailed description of the methods of seasonal adjustment is given in *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators, Australia* (1308.0).

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SURVEYS OF WEEKLY EARNINGS AND HOURS

Surveys conducted for a pay-period in October each year provide statistics of average weekly earnings (i.e. gross earnings before taxation and other deductions) and average weekly hours paid for. The surveys exclude members of the defence forces, employees in agriculture, employees of private households employing staff and employees of private employers (other than hospitals) not subject to payroll tax. For detailed statistics, explanatory notes and definitions concerning the survey, reference should be made to publications *Earnings and Hours of Employees (Preliminary), Australia* (6303.0) and *Earnings and Hours of Employees, Australia* (6304.0).

TABLE 44. AVERAGE WEEKLY OVERTIME AND ORDINARY TIME EARNINGS AND HOURS (a)
FULL-TIME NON-MANAGERIAL EMPLOYEES ETC. STAFF; A.C.T. (b) (c)

| | Average weekly earnings (\$) | | | Average weekly hours paid for | | |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| | Overtime (a) | Ordinary time (a) | Total | Overtime (a) | Ordinary time (a) | Total |
| October 1974 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 16.70 | 153.70 | 170.40 | 3.2 | 37.9 | 41.1 |
| Junior males | 3.60 | 77.80 | 81.40 | 1.2 | 38.7 | 39.8 |
| Adult females | 4.20 | 121.40 | 125.60 | 0.9 | 36.7 | 37.6 |
| Junior females | 1.80 | 74.10 | 76.00 | 0.6 | 37.1 | 37.7 |
| October 1975 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 11.20 | 172.20 | 183.50 | 1.9 | 37.9 | 39.8 |
| Junior males | 4.50 | 90.90 | 95.40 | 1.3 | 38.4 | 39.7 |
| Adult females | 3.30 | 138.50 | 141.80 | 0.6 | 37.1 | 37.7 |
| Junior females | 2.00 | 87.40 | 89.40 | 0.6 | 37.5 | 38.0 |
| October 1976 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 11.00 | 203.40 | 214.30 | 1.6 | 38.1 | 39.8 |
| Junior males | (d) | 102.50 | 106.60 | (d) | 39.1 | 40.2 |
| Adult females | 2.50 | 166.90 | 169.50 | 0.4 | 37.0 | 37.5 |
| Junior females | (d) | 98.20 | 99.60 | (d) | 37.9 | 38.3 |
| October 1977 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 12.20 | 223.10 | 235.40 | 1.6 | 37.7 | 39.3 |
| Junior males | 4.90 | 114.10 | 119.00 | 0.9 | 38.8 | 39.7 |
| Adult females | 3.80 | 189.10 | 192.90 | 0.6 | 36.8 | 37.4 |
| Junior females | 1.80 | 107.20 | 109.10 | 0.4 | 37.8 | 38.2 |
| October 1978 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 13.20 | 239.70 | 252.90 | 1.6 | 37.9 | 39.5 |
| Junior males | * | 121.60 | 128.50 | 1.4 | 38.8 | 40.1 |
| Adult females | 3.50 | 197.50 | 201.00 | 0.5 | 37.0 | 37.5 |
| Junior females | 1.70 | 123.00 | 124.70 | 0.4 | 37.7 | 38.1 |
| October 1979 - | | | | | | |
| Adult males | 12.40 | 245.70 | 258.10 | 1.4 | 37.5 | 38.9 |
| Junior males | 8.00 | 131.20 | 139.20 | 1.6 | 38.4 | 40.0 |
| Adult females | 4.20 | 216.40 | 220.50 | 0.5 | 36.8 | 37.3 |
| Junior females | 1.70 | 128.80 | 130.50 | 0.4 | 37.9 | 38.3 |

(a) Average overtime and ordinary time earnings and hours are averages for all employees represented in the survey. (b) Total (Private and Government) Employment. Excludes managerial, executive, professional and higher supervisory staff. (c) A pay-period in October. (d) Information not available because relatively few employees reported.

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TABLE 45. MINIMUM RATES OF WAGE, ADULT MALES AND ADULT FEMALES
(S)

The minimum wage rates shown in the table below have been taken from awards, determinations and agreements of industrial tribunals operative at the dates shown. The rates quoted are for a full week's work (excluding overtime). Where hours prescribed for an occupation are other than 40 per week, the weekly hours are shown in footnotes.

| ADULT MALES | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|--------|-----------|
| Occupation | Minimum weekly wage rate as at 31 December | | |
| | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
| Bar attendant | 145.30 | 150.00 | 171.50 |
| Bricklayer | 213.70 | 221.50 | 237.40 |
| Builder's labourer (unskilled) | 193.20 | 199.90 | 216.00 |
| Carpenter | 214.00 | 222.00 | 237.80 |
| Clerk (first year of service) | 151.10 | 155.90 | 177.90 |
| Clerk (base grade, 21 years) (a) | 160.67 | 165.80 | 180.54 |
| Cook (restaurant) | 144.70 | 149.30 | 162.60 |
| Gardener, grade 1 | 155.20 | 160.20 | 174.40 |
| Photo-lithographer | 189.20 | 203.40 | (b)232.40 |
| Motor mechanic | 155.10 | 169.40 | 184.40 |
| Motor truck driver (c) | 154.90 | 168.10 | 183.10 |
| Office cleaner (day) | 146.40 | 151.10 | 164.50 |
| Shop assistant | 154.60 | 159.50 | 173.70 |

| ADULT FEMALES | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--------|--------|
| Occupation | Minimum weekly wage rate as at 31 December | | |
| | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
| Bar attendant | 145.30 | 150.00 | 171.50 |
| Clerk (first year of service) | 151.10 | 155.90 | 177.90 |
| Cook (restaurant) | 144.70 | 149.30 | 162.60 |
| Housemaid (boarding house) | 141.40 | 145.90 | 158.90 |
| Office cleaner (day) | 146.40 | 151.10 | 164.50 |
| Shop assistant | 154.60 | 159.50 | 173.70 |
| Stenographer, grade 1 (a) | 166.12 | 171.43 | 186.65 |
| Typist (a) | 152.86 | 157.74 | 171.76 |
| Waitress (boarding house) | 143.30 | 147.90 | 161.10 |

(a) Australian Public Service, 36½ hours per week. (b) Photo-engraver (metal). (c) Truck carrying capacity 2 tons and 3 tons.

TABLE 46. INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a)

| Year | Number of disputes | Workers involved ('000) | | | Working days lost ('000) | Estimated loss in wages (\$'000) (b) |
|------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | Directly | Indirectly | Total | | |
| 1975 | 19 | 4.5 | .. | 4.5 | 34.9 | 1,086 |
| 1976 | 19 | 13.0 | 0.1 | 13.1 | 15.4 | 496 |
| 1977 | 30 | 6.3 | 0.2 | 6.5 | 8.0 | 301 |
| 1978 | 13 | 4.0 | .. | 4.0 | 11.2 | 414 |
| 1979 | 26 | 11.6 | .. | 11.6 | 23.3 | 888 |
| 1980 | 34 | 5.6 | .. | 5.6 | 9.0 | 434 |

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more. (b) Estimated loss in wages has been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars.

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TABLE 47. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX : GROUP INDEX NUMBERS
(Base Year : 1966-67 = 100.0)

The Consumer Price Index has been compiled for periods from September quarter 1948. The composition of groups and the group structure of the index has been altered with the introduction of the ninth Consumer Price Index series as from September quarter 1976. A brief description of the latest link is contained in the booklet entitled *A Guide to the Consumer Price Index*.

| Period | Food | Clothing | Housing | Household equipment and operation | Trans- portation | Tobacco and alcohol | Health and personal care (a) | Recreation (b) | All groups |
|---|-------|----------|---------|--|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Canberra — | | | | | | | | | |
| Year — | | | | | | | | | |
| 1974-75 | 161.7 | 172.3 | 163.3 | 145.0 | 166.4 | 162.9 | 189.8 | .. | 164.9 |
| 1975-76 | 181.3 | 200.9 | 194.1 | 166.1 | 196.9 | 194.3 | 156.9 | .. | 187.3 |
| 1976-77 | 201.5 | 232.4 | 224.0 | 183.9 | 216.6 | 213.1 | 263.3 | 104.3 | 212.9 |
| 1977-78 | 221.6 | 253.7 | 240.4 | 199.2 | 236.3 | 224.5 | 316.8 | 112.9 | 232.3 |
| 1978-79 | 249.0 | 272.4 | 250.1 | 213.4 | 256.2 | 255.9 | 311.0 | 120.3 | 251.1 |
| 1979-80 | 283.9 | 290.5 | 262.5 | 244.2 | 293.7 | 279.2 | 343.1 | 130.5 | 278.0 |
| Quarter — | | | | | | | | | |
| 1979-80 — | | | | | | | | | |
| September | 274.0 | 284.0 | 255.0 | 224.8 | 282.5 | 272.6 | 304.7 | 124.7 | 267.1 |
| December | 279.3 | 288.9 | 260.7 | 229.0 | 289.1 | 276.5 | 348.2 | 129.3 | 274.3 |
| March | 287.8 | 289.5 | 265.9 | 241.5 | 293.5 | 283.0 | 356.0 | 132.2 | 281.3 |
| June | 294.4 | 299.5 | 268.2 | 247.2 | 309.5 | 284.7 | 363.6 | 135.8 | 289.2 |
| 1980-81 — | | | | | | | | | |
| September | 302.8 | 302.7 | 271.9 | 254.2 | 312.5 | 291.0 | 369.7 | 138.0 | 294.7 |
| December | 310.7 | 309.7 | 279.8 | 261.1 | 318.2 | 298.6 | 378.7 | 141.0 | 301.8 |
| Weighted Average of Six State Capital Cities — | | | | | | | | | |
| Year — | | | | | | | | | |
| 1974-75 | 164.0 | 173.0 | 187.8 | 153.8 | 173.0 | 170.4 | 186.5 | .. | 171.1 |
| 1975-76 | 180.2 | 201.0 | 221.1 | 178.3 | 203.8 | 211.1 | 151.6 | .. | 193.3 |
| 1976-77 | 201.2 | 232.5 | 251.8 | 196.3 | 221.9 | 229.8 | 265.8 | 104.1 | 220.0 |
| 1977-78 | 223.2 | 257.4 | 274.6 | 212.6 | 240.1 | 240.0 | 318.3 | 113.4 | 241.0 |
| 1978-79 | 248.8 | 276.3 | 292.5 | 225.9 | 262.7 | 277.4 | 301.7 | 120.7 | 260.7 |
| 1979-80 | 283.6 | 295.1 | 314.3 | 244.2 | 296.5 | 300.5 | 329.6 | 131.2 | 287.2 |
| Quarter — | | | | | | | | | |
| 1979-80 — | | | | | | | | | |
| September | 271.7 | 288.6 | 304.5 | 235.7 | 284.4 | 293.9 | 293.8 | 125.2 | 275.8 |
| December | 277.5 | 292.9 | 311.3 | 240.7 | 294.7 | 297.5 | 335.3 | 129.4 | 284.1 |
| March | 288.9 | 295.2 | 316.8 | 247.0 | 296.5 | 302.8 | 340.6 | 133.8 | 290.3 |
| June | 296.2 | 303.7 | 324.5 | 253.4 | 310.3 | 307.9 | 348.8 | 136.2 | 298.4 |
| 1980-81 — | | | | | | | | | |
| September | 302.4 | 307.2 | 333.1 | 262.2 | 311.3 | 314.3 | 354.7 | 138.5 | 304.0 |
| December | 310.7 | 314.1 | 341.7 | 267.8 | 317.1 | 317.2 | 358.9 | 140.6 | 310.3 |

(a) Base: December quarter 1968=100.0. (b) Base: September quarter 1976=100.0.

TABLE 48. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX : FOOD GROUPS AND COMPONENT SUBGROUPS
(Base of each index : 1966-67 = 100.0 unless otherwise noted)

| | Dairy produce | Cereal products | Meat and seafoods | Beef and veal | Lamb and mutton | Pork | Poultry (a) | Other meat | Fish (b) | Fruit and vegetables (b) | Fresh fruit and vegetables (b) | Processed fruit and vegetables | Soft drinks ice cream and con- fectionery | Meals out and take-away food (b) | Other food | Food group |
|---|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-------|----------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|---|---------------|---------------|
| Canberra - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1974-75 | 139.0 | 176.9 | 161.3 | 142.4 | 179.6 | 182.7 | 146.8 | 151.7 | .. | .. | .. | 130.8 | 189.3 | .. | 138.0 | 161.7 |
| 1975-76 | 157.8 | 204.8 | 178.9 | 158.4 | 205.2 | 210.3 | 154.9 | 162.9 | .. | .. | .. | 147.9 | 215.6 | .. | 152.9 | 181.3 |
| 1976-77 | 167.2 | 224.6 | 203.2 | 180.0 | 259.0 | 231.1 | 155.3 | 173.6 | 110.2 | 102.5 | 102.3 | 162.5 | 240.0 | 103.3 | 175.5 | 201.5 |
| 1977-78 | 182.5 | 246.3 | 224.2 | 197.6 | 287.2 | 247.8 | 165.0 | 190.6 | 129.7 | 104.4 | 99.4 | 177.8 | 267.2 | 113.4 | 209.7 | 221.6 |
| 1978-79 | 193.2 | 264.9 | 282.0 | 269.1 | 358.6 | 285.8 | 175.5 | 229.3 | 140.1 | 115.6 | 111.5 | 193.2 | 294.0 | 123.6 | 210.2 | 249.0 |
| 1979-80 | 211.9 | 289.0 | 350.7 | 356.1 | 405.5 | 341.8 | 185.2 | 297.0 | 156.8 | 120.0 | 114.8 | 202.8 | 327.0 | 138.6 | 231.6 | 283.9 |
| Weighted Average of Six State Capital Cities - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1974-75 | 150.4 | 183.4 | 159.0 | 140.9 | 172.3 | 174.2 | 136.5 | 159.8 | .. | .. | .. | 140.5 | 189.4 | .. | 140.2 | 164.0 |
| 1975-76 | 167.8 | 212.2 | 167.7 | 140.2 | 184.5 | 197.1 | 150.3 | 172.5 | .. | .. | .. | 160.1 | 217.5 | .. | 155.1 | 180.2 |
| 1976-77 | 180.0 | 231.8 | 188.4 | 157.6 | 219.6 | 212.5 | 160.1 | 186.5 | 111.1 | 105.8 | 107.3 | 174.7 | 240.7 | 104.2 | 178.1 | 201.2 |
| 1977-78 | 199.7 | 252.1 | 207.1 | 170.4 | 246.2 | 224.9 | 174.3 | 203.3 | 131.6 | 115.3 | 117.6 | 187.9 | 270.4 | 115.4 | 209.5 | 223.2 |
| 1978-79 | 214.5 | 268.8 | 258.1 | 237.8 | 302.1 | 266.8 | 179.0 | 235.1 | 143.0 | 128.1 | 133.2 | 199.0 | 293.5 | 125.3 | 210.6 | 248.8 |
| 1979-80 | 230.6 | 291.5 | 332.5 | 337.1 | 355.3 | 313.0 | 193.5 | 299.7 | 164.4 | 130.5 | 134.5 | 207.2 | 327.9 | 141.0 | 228.6 | 283.6 |

(a) Base: December quarter 1968 = 100.0. (b) Base: September quarter 1976 = 100.0

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TABLE 49. RURAL STATISTICS

| | Unit | 1975 | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |
|--|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Land utilisation — | | | | | | | |
| Number of establishments (a) | number | 142 | 135 | 114 | 109 | 111 | 106 |
| Area — | | | | | | | |
| Used for crops | hectares | 614 | 986 | 962 | 790 | 641 | 1,114 |
| Under sown pastures and grasses (b) | " | 26,403 | 30,208 | 28,307 | 24,803 | 24,646 | 25,108 |
| Balance (grazing, lying idle, fallow, etc.) | " | 65,693 | 48,480 | 49,021 | 49,152 | 48,253 | 34,819 |
| Total area of establishments | " | 92,710 | 79,674 | 78,290 | 74,745 | 73,540 | 61,041 |
| Principal crops — | | | | | | | |
| Wheat for grain — | | | | | | | |
| area | hectares | 204 | 408 | 361 | 295 | 148 | 524 |
| production | tonnes | 248 | 471 | 524 | 398 | 349 | 962 |
| Oats for grain — | | | | | | | |
| area | hectares | 130 | 165 | 143 | 56 | 117 | 127 |
| production | tonnes | 154 | 187 | 174 | 34 | 146 | 99 |
| Crops for hay — | | | | | | | |
| area | hectares | 8 | 73 | 55 | 34 | 54 | 44 |
| production | tonnes | 23 | 170 | 186 | 94 | 394 | 168 |
| Crops for green feed or silage : area | hectares | 200 | 271 | 234 | 284 | 209 | 289 |
| Apple trees, bearing and non-bearing | number | 5,380 | 4,580 | 4,111 | 3,892 | 4,025 | 2,955 |
| Apple production | tonnes | 48 | 36 | 105 | 47 | 144 | 43 |
| Livestock numbers (at 31 March) — | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves | number | 18,363 | 23,050 | 19,349 | 15,808 | 14,236 | 13,559 |
| Sheep and lambs | " | 117,214 | 148,207 | 124,164 | 119,048 | 117,294 | 98,359 |
| Poultry | " | 164,485 | 132,826 | 172,282 | 149,614 | 235,612 | n.a. |
| Livestock slaughtered and meat produced — | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves — | | | | | | | |
| slaughtered | number | 34,238 | 38,730 | 39,979 | 44,305 | 38,569 | 35,118 |
| beef and veal (carcass weight) | tonnes | 5,434 | 5,571 | 5,359 | 6,333 | 6,071 | 6,182 |
| Sheep and lambs — | | | | | | | |
| slaughtered | number | 177,843 | 197,538 | 160,222 | 158,459 | 169,564 | 207,788 |
| mutton and lamb (carcass weight) | tonnes | 3,157 | 3,351 | 2,583 | 2,613 | 2,856 | 3,413 |
| Pigs — | | | | | | | |
| slaughtered | number | 23,045 | 19,439 | 20,046 | 24,007 | 22,180 | 19,697 |
| pigmeat (carcass weight) | tonnes | 870 | 740 | 800 | 1,073 | 1,057 | 1,005 |
| Shearing and wool production — | | | | | | | |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | '000 | 134 | 143 | 128 | 119 | 120 | 105 |
| Shorn wool, greasy | tonnes | 546 | 566 | 484 | 474 | 494 | 411 |
| Artificial fertilisers used — | | | | | | | |
| Area fertilised | hectares | 12,324 | 3,758 | 6,134 | 5,073 | 548 | n.a. |
| Superphosphate used | tonnes | 1,418 | 572 | 663 | 536 | 77 | 1,161 |
| Gross value of production — | | | | | | | |
| Crops | \$'000 | 338 | 398 | 391 | 740 | 423 | p584 |
| Livestock slaughtering and other disposals | " | 264 | 395 | 679 | 970 | 1,479 | p2,334 |
| Livestock products | " | 3,773 | 4,207 | 3,805 | 3,808 | 3,980 | p4,803 |
| Total agriculture | " | 4,375 | 5,000 | 4,875 | 5,518 | 5,882 | p7,721 |
| Forestry | " | 1,142 | 1,854 | 2,705 | 2,942 | 3,571 | p3,571 |

(a) Establishments with agricultural activity (previously called "holdings"). (b) Includes pastures and grasses harvested for hay and seed.

NOTE: Land utilisation, crop and artificial fertiliser statistics relate to the year ended 31 March; other data relate to the year ended 30 June.

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TABLE 50. PRODUCTION OF FOREST PRODUCTS

| | <i>Unit of quantity and value</i> | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|---|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Logs for sawing, peeling, slicing or pulping — | | | | | | | |
| Broadleaved — | | | | | | | |
| Eucalypt and related species | '000 m ³ | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Conifers — | | | | | | | |
| Plantation grown conifers | " | 116 | 131 | 150 | 152 | 170 | 181 |
| Total logs | " | 116 | 131 | 150 | 152 | 170 | 181 |
| Value of logs | \$'000 | 1,080 | 1,731 | 2,562 | 2,816 | 3,249 | 3,841 |
| Value of hewn and other timber | " | 59 | 116 | 131 | 117 | 312 | 597 |
| Value of other forest products | " | 4 | 7 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 6 |
| Total value of forest products | " | 1,142 | 1,854 | 2,705 | 2,942 | 3,571 | 4,444 |

TABLE 51. MINING ESTABLISHMENTS

| | | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 ^p |
|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------------------|
| Number of establishments (a) | No. | 8 | 7 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 6 |
| Persons employed (b) | " | (b)104 | (b)86 | (b)80 | (c)86 | (c)79 | (c)44 |
| Wages and salaries | \$'000 | 897 | 946 | 977 | 862 | 934 | 517 |
| Turnover | " | 4,111 | 5,046 | 4,837 | 4,502 | 4,340 | 2,668 |
| Stocks — | | | | | | | |
| Opening | " | 102 | 376 | 948 | 644 | 844 | 409 |
| Closing | " | 303 | 811 | 833 | 747 | 1,537 | 523 |
| Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses (d) | " | 1,352 | 2,807 | 2,323 | 2,769 | 2,981 | 1,640 |
| Value added (d) | " | 2,961 | 2,674 | 2,399 | 1,835 | (e)2,052 | 1,142 |
| Fixed capital expenditure (f) | " | 275 | 302 | 169 | 908 | 677 | 228 |

(a) Number of establishments operating at end of June. (b) At end of June. Includes working proprietors. (c) Average over whole year. Includes working proprietors. (d) Prior to 1978-79 "Rent and leasing expenses" was excluded from "Purchases, etc." and in the calculation of "Value added". (e) Turnover, plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses. (f) Outlay on fixed tangible assets less disposals.

NOTE: For further details see, *Census of Mining Establishments, Details of Operations by Industry Class, Australia* (8402.0).

TABLE 52. MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS (a)

| | | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|---|-----|---------|---------|---------|
| Establishments operating at end of year | No. | 101 | 92 | 117 |
| Persons employed (b) | " | 3,448 | 3,021 | 3,073 |
| Wages and salaries (c) | \$m | 31.4 | 30.2 | 33.7 |
| Turnover | " | 103.5 | 101.1 | 118.8 |
| Opening stocks at 30 June | " | 10.7 | 9.8 | 12.2 |
| Closing stocks at 30 June | " | 11.4 | 10.8 | 11.4 |
| Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses | " | 48.5 | 48.7 | 57.4 |
| Value added (d) | " | 55.8 | 53.4 | 60.6 |
| Fixed capital expenditure (e) | " | 4.2 | 3.1 | 2.5 |

(a) Excludes single establishment Manufacturing enterprises with fewer than 4 persons employed at end of year. (See Explanatory Notes to *Manufacturing Establishments, Summary of Operations by Industry Class, Australia* (8202.0)). (b) Average employed over whole year. Includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes the drawings of working proprietors. (d) Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses. (e) Outlay on fixed tangible assets less disposals.

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TABLE 53. RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS AND SELECTED SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS,
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS BY INDUSTRY CLASS, 1977-78

| <i>Industry class</i> | <i>Establishments operating at 30 June 1978</i> | <i>Employment at 30 June 1978 (a)</i> | <i>Wages and salaries (b)</i> | <i>Retail sales</i> | <i>Turnover</i> | <i>Total floor space</i> |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| | - No. - | | | - \$'000 - | | sq.m |
| Retail establishments - | | | | | | |
| Department, variety and general stores - | | | | | | |
| Department stores | 8 | 1,468 | 7,033 | 51,804 | 54,511 | 56,738 |
| Variety stores | | | | | | |
| General stores | 6 | 210 | 1,143 | 8,368 | 8,705 | 6,037 |
| <i>Total department, variety and general stores</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>1,678</i> | <i>8,176</i> | <i>60,172</i> | <i>63,216</i> | <i>62,775</i> |
| Food stores - | | | | | | |
| Supermarkets | 34 | 1,470 | 6,434 | 74,401 | 74,560 | 33,961 |
| Grocers and tobacconists | 130 | 515 | 1,322 | 29,499 | 29,803 | 20,757 |
| Butchers | 87 | 276 | 1,911 | 11,801 | 11,801 | 7,869 |
| Fruit and vegetable stores | 37 | 168 | 507 | 6,701 | 6,907 | 5,215 |
| Liquor stores | 24 | 106 | 340 | 10,734 | 10,774 | 4,221 |
| Confectionery and soft drink stores | 93 | 318 | 1,016 | 5,139 | 5,464 | 10,071 |
| Fish, chip and hamburger shops | 101 | 479 | 1,587 | 11,654 | 12,016 | 11,459 |
| Bread and cake shops | 17 | 91 | 303 | 1,236 | 1,236 | 1,336 |
| <i>Total food stores</i> | <i>523</i> | <i>3,423</i> | <i>15,420</i> | <i>151,165</i> | <i>152,561</i> | <i>94,889</i> |
| Clothing, fabrics and furniture stores - | | | | | | |
| Furniture and floor covering stores | 58 | 265 | 1,655 | 15,300 | 15,397 | 23,727 |
| Fabrics and household textile stores | 40 | 134 | 557 | 4,507 | 4,781 | 4,856 |
| Men's and boys' wear stores | 27 | 116 | 645 | 5,719 | 5,828 | 3,378 |
| Women's girls' and infants' wear stores | 119 | 533 | 2,430 | 20,561 | 20,867 | 16,196 |
| Footwear stores | 33 | 131 | 645 | 5,469 | 5,521 | 2,809 |
| <i>Total clothing, fabrics and furniture stores</i> | <i>277</i> | <i>1,179</i> | <i>5,932</i> | <i>51,556</i> | <i>52,394</i> | <i>50,966</i> |
| Household appliance and hardware stores - | | | | | | |
| Household appliance stores | 39 | 366 | 3,089 | 29,506 | 33,656 | 27,233 |
| Household electrical appliance repairers | 25 | 99 | 671 | 231 | 2,023 | 2,087 |
| China, glassware and domestic hardware stores | 34 | 100 | 409 | 3,714 | 3,958 | 6,177 |
| Watchmakers and jewellers | 40 | 181 | 748 | 5,857 | 6,447 | 2,648 |
| Musical instrument and record stores | 19 | 86 | 458 | 4,551 | 4,577 | 1,967 |
| <i>Total household appliance and hardware stores</i> | <i>157</i> | <i>832</i> | <i>5,375</i> | <i>43,859</i> | <i>50,661</i> | <i>40,112</i> |
| Motor vehicle dealers, petrol and tyre retailers - | | | | | | |
| New motor vehicle dealers and motor vehicle repairers, n.e.c. | 117 | 1,177 | 8,945 | 74,739 | 97,880 | n.a. |
| Used motor vehicle and parts dealers | 31 | 123 | 831 | 12,412 | 15,813 | n.a. |
| Tyre and battery retailers and tyre retreaders | 17 | 135 | 1,143 | 7,863 | 9,693 | n.a. |
| Service stations | 78 | 809 | 4,112 | 37,873 | 41,732 | n.a. |
| Smash repair workshops | 35 | 291 | 1,807 | 55 | 5,932 | n.a. |
| Motor cycle dealers | 5 | 24 | 178 | 1,519 | 1,662 | n.a. |
| Boat and caravan dealers | 12 | 34 | 210 | 3,141 | 3,219 | n.a. |
| <i>Total motor vehicle dealers, petrol and tyre retailers</i> | <i>295</i> | <i>2,593</i> | <i>17,226</i> | <i>137,602</i> | <i>175,931</i> | <i>n.a.</i> |
| Other retailers - | | | | | | |
| Pharmacies | 84 | 424 | 1,832 | 15,360 | 15,429 | 6,736 |
| Photographic equipment stores | 8 | 30 | 151 | 1,802 | 1,815 | 292 |
| Sporting goods, bicycle and toy shops | 59 | 228 | 1,053 | 9,686 | 9,841 | 10,655 |
| Newsagents, stationers and booksellers | 70 | 444 | 1,547 | 13,894 | 14,129 | 8,764 |
| Antique and second hand goods dealers | 30 | 90 | 280 | 1,889 | 1,917 | 6,528 |
| Nurserymen and florists | 28 | 110 | 478 | 3,695 | 3,701 | 4,488 |
| Retailers n.e.c. | 62 | 168 | 413 | 4,107 | 4,401 | 5,049 |
| <i>Total other retailers</i> | <i>341</i> | <i>1,494</i> | <i>5,754</i> | <i>50,433</i> | <i>51,233</i> | <i>42,512</i> |
| Total retail establishments | 1,607 | 11,199 | 55,883 | 494,787 | 545,996 | 291,254 |

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TABLE 53. RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS AND SELECTED SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS,
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS BY INDUSTRY CLASS, 1977-78 — *continued*

| Industry class | Establishments operating at 30 June 1978 | Employment at 30 June 1978 (a) | Wages and salaries (b) | Retail sales | Turnover | Total floor space |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| | — No. — | | | — \$'000 — | | sq.m |
| Selected service establishments — | | | | | | |
| Restaurants and licensed hotels — | | | | | | |
| Cafes and restaurants | 119 | 1,153 | 4,119 | 4,922 | 16,990 | 24,717 |
| Licensed hotels, motels and wine saloons | 41 | 1,115 | 7,778 | 12,612 | 26,629 | 74,662 |
| <i>Total restaurants and licensed hotels</i> | <i>160</i> | <i>2,268</i> | <i>11,897</i> | <i>17,534</i> | <i>43,619</i> | <i>99,379</i> |
| Licensed clubs — | | | | | | |
| Licensed bowling clubs | 7 | 50 | 482 | 903 | 1,623 | 3,245 |
| Licensed golf clubs | 4 | 67 | 561 | 645 | 1,586 | 3,225 |
| Licensed clubs n.e.c. | 41 | 714 | 4,706 | 7,776 | 15,727 | 41,797 |
| <i>Total licensed clubs</i> | <i>52</i> | <i>831</i> | <i>5,749</i> | <i>9,324</i> | <i>18,936</i> | <i>48,267</i> |
| Hairdressing and beauty salons — | | | | | | |
| Men's hairdressing | 20 | 42 | 95 | 21 | 489 | 581 |
| Women's hairdressing and beauty salons | 88 | 392 | 1,803 | 103 | 4,108 | 5,992 |
| <i>Total hairdressing and beauty salons</i> | <i>108</i> | <i>434</i> | <i>1,898</i> | <i>124</i> | <i>4,597</i> | <i>6,573</i> |
| Total selected service establishments | 320 | 3,533 | 19,544 | 26,982 | 67,152 | 154,219 |
| Total retail and selected service establishments | 1,927 | 14,732 | 75,427 | 521,769 | 613,148 | 445,473 |

(a) Includes working proprietors but excludes unpaid helpers. (b) Excludes drawings by working proprietors.

NOTE: Figures not comparable with years prior to 1973-74. For further details see *Census of Retail Establishments, Australian Capital Territory 1973-74* (8616.0).

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TABLE 54. VALUE OF BUILDING BY CLASS OF BUILDING, STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AND OWNERSHIP, 1979-80
(S'000)

| <i>Class of building</i> | <i>Approved</i> | <i>Commenced</i> | <i>Completed</i> | <i>Under construction (a)</i> | <i>Work done (b)</i> | <i>Work yet to be done (a)</i> |
|--|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| PRIVATE | | | | | | |
| New houses | 35,145 | 38,344 | 51,399 | 16,005 | 46,550 | 7,623 |
| New other dwellings | 20,230 | 22,027 | 15,918 | 18,624 | 18,639 | 10,675 |
| <i>Total new dwellings</i> | <i>55,376</i> | <i>60,370</i> | <i>67,315</i> | <i>34,629</i> | <i>65,189</i> | <i>18,298</i> |
| Alterations and additions to dwellings (c) | 9,559 | 9,433 | 10,441 | 3,524 | 10,042 | 1,715 |
| Hotels, etc. | 2,475 | 2,579 | 359 | 2,480 | 1,001 | 1,693 |
| Shops | 741 | 1,203 | 1,975 | 46 | 1,875 | 36 |
| Factories | 38 | 1,102 | 1,267 | — | 1,239 | — |
| Offices | 6,337 | 1,849 | 6,969 | 3,006 | 5,298 | 866 |
| Other business premises | 919 | 1,540 | 4,408 | 844 | 3,176 | 320 |
| Education | 1,092 | 880 | 1,948 | 519 | 1,429 | 411 |
| Religion | 1,164 | 1,493 | 594 | 1,315 | 1,524 | 100 |
| Health | — | — | 950 | — | 676 | — |
| Entertainment and recreation | 2,992 | 4,024 | 3,118 | 3,071 | 2,814 | 2,178 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,202 | 30 | 164 | 30 | 150 | 15 |
| <i>Total other building</i> | <i>16,962</i> | <i>14,702</i> | <i>21,752</i> | <i>11,311</i> | <i>19,180</i> | <i>5,619</i> |
| Total building | 81,894 | 84,505 | 99,507 | 49,464 | 94,410 | 25,632 |
| GOVERNMENT | | | | | | |
| New houses | — | 125 | — | 85 | 83 | 17 |
| New other dwellings | — | — | 2,100 | — | 25 | — |
| <i>Total new dwellings</i> | <i>—</i> | <i>125</i> | <i>2,100</i> | <i>85</i> | <i>108</i> | <i>17</i> |
| Alterations and additions to dwellings (c) | 146 | 570 | 370 | — | 370 | — |
| Hotels, etc. | 88 | 36 | 1,832 | — | 309 | — |
| Shops | — | 22 | 60 | — | 32 | — |
| Factories | 101 | 471 | — | 471 | 125 | 346 |
| Offices | 371 | 1,296 | 17,725 | 52,196 | 15,957 | 6,250 |
| Other business premises | 355 | 2,733 | 13,457 | 723 | 4,516 | 372 |
| Education | 1,968 | 2,057 | 17,447 | 40,482 | 22,116 | 8,123 |
| Religion | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Health | 1,352 | 747 | 618 | 7,839 | 2,386 | 219 |
| Entertainment and recreation | 3,526 | 1,090 | 1,412 | 6,044 | 2,723 | 3,519 |
| Miscellaneous | 338 | 644 | 51,991 | 54,467 | 36,410 | 18,486 |
| <i>Total other building</i> | <i>8,098</i> | <i>9,095</i> | <i>104,539</i> | <i>162,223</i> | <i>84,576</i> | <i>37,314</i> |
| Total building | 8,244 | 9,590 | 107,009 | 162,308 | 85,053 | 37,331 |

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TABLE 54. VALUE OF BUILDING BY CLASS OF BUILDING, STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AND OWNERSHIP, 1979-80 — *continued*

| <i>Class of building</i> | <i>Approved</i> | <i>Commenced</i> | <i>Completed</i> | <i>Under construction (a)</i> | <i>Work done (b)</i> | <i>Work yet to be done (a)</i> |
|--|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| TOTAL | | | | | | |
| New houses | 35,145 | 38,469 | 51,399 | 16,090 | 46,633 | 7,640 |
| New other dwellings | 20,230 | 22,027 | 18,018 | 18,624 | 18,664 | 10,675 |
| <i>Total new dwellings</i> | <i>55,376</i> | <i>60,495</i> | <i>69,415</i> | <i>34,714</i> | <i>65,297</i> | <i>18,315</i> |
| Alterations and additions to dwellings (c) | 9,705 | 9,803 | 10,811 | 3,524 | 10,413 | 1,715 |
| Hotels, etc. | 2,563 | 2,615 | 2,191 | 2,480 | 1,310 | 1,693 |
| Shops | 741 | 1,225 | 2,035 | 46 | 1,906 | 36 |
| Factories | 139 | 1,573 | 1,267 | 471 | 1,364 | 346 |
| Offices | 6,708 | 3,147 | 24,694 | 55,203 | 21,257 | 7,116 |
| Other business premises | 1,274 | 4,272 | 17,865 | 1,567 | 7,689 | 692 |
| Education | 3,060 | 2,937 | 19,395 | 41,001 | 23,545 | 8,534 |
| Religion | 1,164 | 1,493 | 594 | 1,315 | 1,524 | 100 |
| Health | 1,352 | 747 | 1,568 | 7,839 | 3,062 | 219 |
| Entertainment and recreation | 6,518 | 5,114 | 4,531 | 9,115 | 5,537 | 5,697 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,540 | 674 | 52,156 | 54,497 | 36,562 | 18,501 |
| <i>Total other building</i> | <i>25,059</i> | <i>23,797</i> | <i>126,291</i> | <i>173,534</i> | <i>103,755</i> | <i>42,933</i> |
| Total building | 90,139 | 94,095 | 206,517 | 211,772 | 179,464 | 62,963 |

(a) At end of period. (b) During period. (c) Valued at \$10,000 and over.

TABLE 55. NUMBER OF NEW DWELLINGS BY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION, OWNERSHIP AND CLASS OF BUILDING, 1979-80

| <i>Stage of construction</i> | <i>Private</i> | | | | <i>Government</i> | | | | <i>Total</i> | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| | <i>Houses</i> | | | <i>Other dwellings</i> | <i>Houses</i> | | | <i>Other dwellings</i> | <i>Houses</i> | <i>Other dwellings</i> |
| | <i>Contractor built</i> | <i>Owner built</i> | <i>Total</i> | | <i>Contractor built</i> | <i>Owner built</i> | <i>Total</i> | | | |
| Approved | 949 | 76 | 1,025 | 698 | — | — | — | 986 | 698 | 1,684 |
| Commenced | 949 | 76 | 1,025 | 603 | 4 | — | 4 | 1,029 | 603 | 1,632 |
| Completed | 1,296 | 102 | 1,398 | 539 | — | 78 | 78 | 1,398 | 617 | 2,015 |
| Under construction (a) | 328 | 52 | 380 | 435 | 3 | — | 3 | 383 | 435 | 818 |

(a) At end of period.

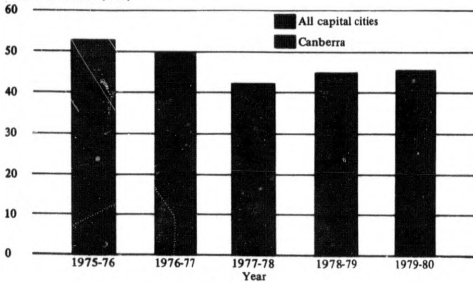
TABLE 56. NUMBER, AVERAGE VALUE, AVERAGE SIZE AND AVERAGE VALUE PER SQUARE METRE OF NEW PRIVATE CONTRACT-BUILT HOUSES COMMENCED, CAPITAL CITY STATISTICAL DIVISIONS

| | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Number — | | | | | |
| Canberra (a) | 3,217 | 1,813 | 1,569 | 1,581 | 946 |
| All capital cities (b) | 49,584 | 47,817 | 40,198 | 43,237 | 44,482 |
| Average commencement value (\$000) (c) — | | | | | |
| Canberra (a) | 31.8 | 35.4 | 32.6 | 33.9 | 36.9 |
| All capital cities (b) | 24.7 | 27.8 | 29.7 | 31.0 | 34.4 |
| Average size (square metres) — | | | | | |
| Canberra (a) | 146 | 159 | 145 | 144 | 153 |
| All capital cities (b) | 141 | 142 | 142 | 144 | 152 |
| Average value per square metre (\$) (c) — | | | | | |
| Canberra (a) | 217 | 222 | 225 | 236 | 242 |
| All capital cities (b) | 175 | 196 | 209 | 216 | 226 |

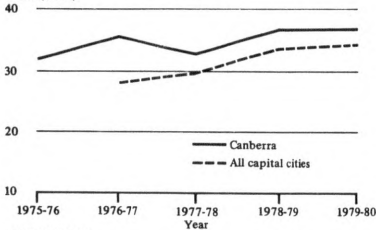
(a) Canberra Statistical District, excluding Queanbeyan. (b) Totals for financial years prior to and including 1975-76 exclude statistics for Darwin. (c) The average commencement value and average value per square metre are based on the final contract price of houses when complete (or estimates of this price) provided by contractors at the time of commencement of building work.

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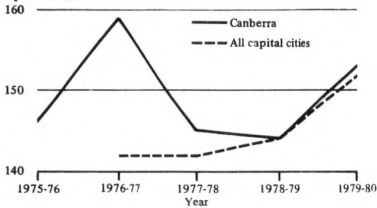
NEW PRIVATE CONTRACT - BUILT HOUSES COMMENCED - CANBERRA STATISTICAL DISTRICT (excluding Queanbeyan) AND ALL CAPITAL CITY STATISTICAL DISTRICTS
NUMBER OF HOUSES
 Number of houses ('000)



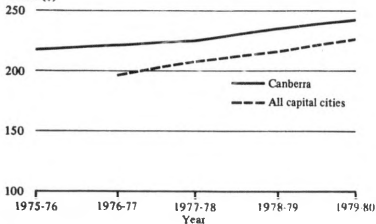
AVERAGE COMMENCEMENT VALUE
 Value (\$'000)



AVERAGE SIZE
 Square metres



Value (\$)



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TABLE 57. REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE

| Type of vehicle | New registrations for | | | On register, at 30 June | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|---------|-------------------------|------|-------|
| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 |
| | — number — | | | — '000 — | | |
| Motor cars | 6,367 | 7,075 | 5,882 | 68.3 | 66.7 | 74.2 |
| Station wagons | 1,043 | 1,496 | 1,384 | 13.0 | 13.2 | 14.4 |
| Utilities | 567 | 482 | 432 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 5.5 |
| Panel vans | 503 | 500 | 300 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.4 |
| Trucks — | | | | | | |
| rigid | 480 | 317 | 460 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 2.5 |
| articulated | 82 | 94 | 64 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| other truck type vehicles | 20 | 21 | 5 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| Buses | 99 | 100 | 68 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.9 |
| Total (excluding motor cycles) | 9,161 | 10,085 | 8,595 | 95.0 | 94.0 | 103.5 |
| Motor cycles | 597 | 562 | 741 | 3.7 | 3.0 | 3.1 |

TABLE 58. BUS SERVICES (a)

| | | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Route — kilometres (b) | kilometres | 422 | 796 | 800 |
| Buses (b) | No. | 384 | 360 | 374 |
| Vehicle kilometres | '000 kilometres | 10,800 | 12,800 | 13,491 |
| Passenger journeys | '000 | 12,355 | 13,874 | 16,000 |
| Employees (b) | No. | 653 | 706 | 729 |
| Gross revenue | \$'000 | 3,352 | 4,357 | 4,793 |
| Working expenses | " | 8,762 | 10,630 | 12,608 |
| Net revenue | " | -5,410 | -6,273 | -7,814 |

(a) Operated by the Department of the Capital Territory. (b) At end of period.

TABLE 59. NUMBER OF ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, PERSONS KILLED, PERSONS INJURED PER 100,000 OF MEAN POPULATION AND PER 10,000 MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED

| Period | Per 100,000 of mean population (a) | | | Per 10,000 motor vehicles registered (b) | | |
|--------|------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|--|----------------|-----------------|
| | Number of accidents | Persons killed | Persons injured | Number of accidents | Persons killed | Persons injured |
| 1977 | 416 | 14 | 563 | 88 | 3 | 119 |
| 1978 | 366 | 14 | 480 | 83 | 3 | 108 |
| 1979 | 385 | 14 | 503 | 88 | 3 | 114 |

(a) Based on latest available population figures. (b) Average number of motor vehicles (excluding tractors, plant and equipment, caravans and trailers) on register.

NOTE: For more detailed statistics on transport and related activities in the Australian Capital Territory refer to the publication *Rail, Bus and Air Transport, Australia* (9201.0).TABLE 60. TRADING BANKS : DEPOSITS, ADVANCES AND DEBITS TO CUSTOMERS' ACCOUNTS
(Average of weekly figures)
(\$'000)

| Average of weekly figures for the month of June | Deposits | | | | Loans, advances and bills discounted (a) | Debits to customers' accounts |
|---|------------|---------|---------|---------|--|-------------------------------|
| | Government | Fixed | Other | Total | | |
| 1975 | 7,725 | 101,824 | 91,607 | 201,156 | 139,930 | 95,449 |
| 1976 | 2,587 | 86,697 | 113,415 | 202,698 | 134,418 | 152,370 |
| 1977 | 2,948 | 103,405 | 122,803 | 229,155 | 277,782 | 150,715 |
| 1978 | 3,544 | 104,482 | 124,491 | 232,516 | 321,184 | 245,956 |
| 1979 | 11,385 | 119,237 | 134,942 | 265,564 | 347,227 | 186,877 |
| 1980 | 8,944 | 114,409 | 156,304 | 279,656 | 352,549 | 239,981 |

(a) Excludes loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market.

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TABLE 61. SAVINGS BANKS

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Number of operative accounts at end of year | 216,797 | 227,028 | 233,568 | 237,247 | 244,143 | 250,067 |
| — \$'000 — | | | | | | |
| Deposits during year (a) | 472,909 | 482,769 | 499,846 | 517,804 | 581,005 | 620,548 |
| Withdrawals during year (a) | 460,067 | 473,200 | 497,876 | 506,104 | 574,457 | 621,691 |
| Excess of deposits over withdrawals | 12,842 | 9,569 | 1,970 | 11,700 | 6,548 | (-)/1,143 |
| Interest credited during year | 4,976 | 6,072 | 6,911 | 7,610 | 8,391 | 9,256 |
| Depositors' balances at end of year | 118,175 | 133,316 | 142,697 | 162,010 | 176,949 | 185,062 |

(a) Includes inter-branch transfers.

TABLE 62. FINANCE COMPANIES : AMOUNT FINANCED AND BALANCES OUTSTANDING
CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF FINANCE AGREEMENT
(\$ million)

| | Amount financed during year | | | Balances outstanding at end of year | | |
|---|-----------------------------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
| Instalment credit for — | | | | | | |
| Retail sales | 35.6 | 34.8 | 31.0 | 69.6 | 66.7 | 59.9 |
| Personal loans (a) | 17.9 | 18.4 | 19.4 | 29.6 | 30.1 | 28.5 |
| Wholesale finance (b) | 59.6 | 59.7 | 70.3 | 24.0 | 15.2 | 14.7 |
| Finance for housing (c) | 37.3 | 50.1 | 49.7 | 85.8 | 88.0 | 86.7 |
| Other commercial loans | 58.6 | 119.1 | 112.5 | 174.8 | 238.5 | 270.7 |
| Total | 209.0 | 282.1 | 283.0 | 383.9 | 438.5 | 460.6 |
| Leasing of business plant and equipment | 34.2 | 31.5 | 31.5 | 63.9 | 73.3 | 80.7 |

(a) Includes loans to persons for alterations or additions estimated to cost less than \$10,000 to existing dwelling units. (b) Includes loans for "factoring". (c) Includes loans to persons for alterations or additions estimated to cost \$10,000 or more to existing dwelling units and loans for the purchase of individual residential blocks of land, as well as housing finance to businesses.

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TABLE 63. HOUSING FINANCE FOR OWNER OCCUPATION : VALUE OF LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR PURCHASE OF DWELLINGS, BY TYPE OF LENDER
(\$ million)

| | <i>Banks</i> | | <i>Building societies</i> | | <i>Finance companies</i> | <i>Government</i> | <i>Other (a)</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|---------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | <i>Savings</i> | <i>Trading</i> | <i>Permanent (a)</i> | <i>Terminating</i> | | | | |
| 1977-78 | 36.7 | 11.7 | 38.8 | — | 5.8 | 28.2 | 1.8 | 119.5 |
| 1978-79 | 39.6 | 13.2 | 48.7 | — | 5.1 | 19.5 | 2.2 | 124.5 |
| 1979-80 | 43.5 | 12.0 | 50.4 | — | 6.9 | 25.4 | 4.0 | 137.8 |

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

TABLE 64. HOUSING FINANCE FOR OWNER OCCUPATION : LOANS APPROVED TO INDIVIDUALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR PURCHASE OF DWELLINGS

| | <i>Construction of dwellings</i> | | <i>Purchase of newly erected dwellings</i> | | <i>Purchase of established dwellings</i> | | <i>Total</i> | | | |
|---------|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|-------------------|--|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| | | | | | | | <i>Houses</i> | | <i>Other dwellings</i> | |
| | <i>Number of dwelling units</i> | <i>\$ million</i> | <i>Number of dwelling units</i> | <i>\$ million</i> | <i>Number of dwelling units</i> | <i>\$ million</i> | <i>Number of dwelling units</i> | <i>\$ million</i> | <i>Number of dwelling units</i> | <i>\$ million</i> |
| 1977-78 | 773 | 14.4 | 2,257 | 48.4 | 2,540 | 56.7 | 5,359 | 115.7 | 211 | 3.8 |
| 1978-79 | 485 | 11.1 | 1,551 | 39.5 | 3,173 | 73.9 | 5,012 | 120.1 | 197 | 4.4 |
| 1979-80 | 466 | 10.5 | 1,508 | 38.7 | 3,691 | 88.5 | 5,448 | 133.4 | 217 | 4.4 |

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TABLE 65. PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETIES : ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME AND EXPENDITURE (a) (b)

| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|--|---------|----------------|---------|
| Number of permanent building societies | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| | | - \$ million - | |
| Total liabilities | 195.9 | 231.9 | 266.1 |
| Total assets | 195.9 | 231.9 | 266.1 |
| Total expenditure | 18.4 | 22.1 | 25.8 |
| Total income | 19.9 | 23.6 | 30.2 |

(a) At the balance dates of societies within the financial year shown. (b) For publication purposes Northern Territory is included in Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 66. TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETIES : ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME AND EXPENDITURE (a)

| | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|--|---------|----------------|---------|
| Number of terminating building societies | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| | | - \$ million - | |
| Total liabilities | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.2 |
| Total assets | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.2 |
| Total expenditure | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Total income | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |

(a) At the balance dates of societies within the financial year shown.

TABLE 67. CREDIT UNIONS : ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME AND EXPENDITURE (a) (b)

| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|-------------------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| Number of credit unions | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| | | - \$ million - | |
| Total liabilities | 40.2 | 53.1 | 62.6 |
| Total assets | 40.2 | 53.1 | 62.6 |
| Total expenditure | 5.0 | 6.4 | 8.0 |
| Total income | 5.2 | 6.7 | 8.4 |

(a) At the balance dates of credit unions within the financial year shown. (b) For publication purposes Northern Territory is included in Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 68. INSTALMENT CREDIT FOR RETAIL SALES (a) : AMOUNT FINANCED (b)
(\$ million)

| | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80 |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Hire purchase - | | | |
| Motor vehicles | 23.8 | 23.1 | 20.2 |
| Household and personal goods | 1.6 | 2.0 | 1.8 |
| Total hire purchase | 25.4 | 25.1 | 22.0 |
| Other instalment credit - | | | |
| Motor vehicles | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.2 |
| Household and personal goods | 5.6 | 4.9 | 4.9 |
| Total other instalment credit | 10.5 | 9.7 | 9.1 |
| Total instalment credit | 35.9 | 34.8 | 31.1 |

(a) Provides details of instalment credit schemes provided by finance companies and other businesses (other than banks, credit unions and insurance companies). (b) Excludes hiring charges, interest and insurance.

TABLE 69. TOTALISATOR INVESTMENTS AND INVESTMENTS WITH LICENSED BOOKMAKERS
(\$ million)

| | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|------------|---------|---------|---------|
| T.A.B. | 25.3 | 27.7 | 27.0 |
| Bookmakers | 20.4 | 19.9 | n.a. |

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TABLE 70. RECEIPTS AND OUTLAY

In the following table, identifiable receipts and outlay relating to the Australian Capital Territory have been classified in a National Accounts form. The table covers transactions of the Commonwealth Government in respect of the Australian Capital Territory in the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the following trust funds: A.C.T. Forestry Trust Account, A.C.T. Housing Trust Account, A.C.T. Transport Trust Account, A.C.T. Suspense Trust Account. In addition, details of the financial transactions of the following public corporations are also covered: Electricity Authority, Commonwealth Brickworks (prior to its sale to the private sector in 1979), National Capital Development Commission, the Canberra Theatre Trust, the Canberra College of Advanced Education, A.C.T. Poker Machine Licensing Board, Canberra Commercial Development Authority, A.C.T. Totalisator Agency Board and the Capital Territory Health Commission including the Royal Canberra and Woden Valley Hospitals. Not included are revenue derived by the Commonwealth Government from income taxes, sales tax, etc. levied in the Australian Capital Territory; outlay on items of a national character such as defence, civil aviation, railways, etc.; and payments to residents from the National Welfare Fund. Outlays and receipts of the Australian National University are not included in these tables.

(\$'000)

| | 1974-75 | 1975-76 | 1976-77 | 1977-78 | 1978-79 | 1979-80(p) |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Receipts - | | | | | | |
| Taxation - | | | | | | |
| Rates on land | 7,139 | 10,464 | 12,098 | 13,634 | 15,011 | 16,540 |
| Liquor | 710 | 984 | 1,260 | 1,325 | 2,395 | 2,136 |
| Motor registration and licences | 3,374 | 4,322 | 4,954 | 7,127 | 7,859 | 7,793 |
| Stamp duties | 3,433 | 4,162 | 4,455 | 5,003 | 5,573 | 6,904 |
| Payroll tax | 9,038 | 10,761 | 11,296 | 11,945 | 13,142 | 12,373 |
| Other taxes, fees, fines, etc. | 748 | 1,413 | 1,635 | 2,839 | 4,223 | 3,662 |
| Interest, rent, etc. | 13,514 | 16,920 | 21,899 | 26,214 | 26,124 | 26,103 |
| Income from public enterprises | 864 | 3,541 | 4,566 | 4,301 | 5,702 | 5,893 |
| Net sale of public corporation securities | -214 | 3,605 | (a)27,903 | 15,492 | 6,798 | 6,915 |
| Other receipts | 1,985 | 473 | (a)-9,780 | 18,125 | 13,867 | 7,692 |
| Net charge to Commonwealth budget | 261,657 | 313,283 | 316,291 | 329,215 | 294,767 | 300,875 |
| Total Receipts | 302,248 | 369,928 | 396,577 | 435,220 | 395,461 | 396,886 |
| Outlay - | | | | | | |
| Final consumption expenditure - | | | | | | |
| Law, order and public safety | 10,420 | 10,156 | 13,808 | 16,109 | 19,215 | 21,099 |
| Education | 49,019 | 65,233 | 79,089 | 90,619 | 100,696 | 111,665 |
| Health, social security and welfare | 23,857 | 35,144 | 44,711 | 52,855 | 58,919 | 68,627 |
| Other | 43,068 | 48,767 | 49,727 | 47,038 | 43,673 | 49,676 |
| Gross fixed capital expenditure on new assets and stocks - | | | | | | |
| Education | 22,111 | 34,139 | 31,186 | 26,367 | 20,676 | 20,716 |
| Recreation and related cultural services | 4,851 | 7,088 | 10,371 | 11,751 | 13,999 | 17,356 |
| Health, social security and welfare | 11,006 | 11,322 | 7,406 | 8,493 | 8,941 | 6,367 |
| Protection of the environment | 17,301 | 27,424 | 24,277 | 13,212 | 8,366 | 5,024 |
| Roads | 10,264 | 11,607 | 11,937 | 30,819 | 31,882 | 25,763 |
| Community and regional development | 36,675 | 36,467 | 35,235 | 32,984 | 16,000 | 10,211 |
| Electricity, gas and water | 5,647 | 12,170 | 28,817 | 25,495 | 16,465 | 6,935 |
| Housing | 7,811 | 7,749 | -1,777 | -5,263 | -4,751 | -7,016 |
| Other | 28,479 | 43,876 | 49,535 | 63,828 | 57,043 | 62,215 |
| Net purchase of existing assets | -5,485 | -21,084 | -19,426 | -13,604 | -17,423 | -15,725 |
| Interest paid | 664 | 665 | 1,072 | 3,576 | 6,415 | 7,137 |
| Cash benefits | 18 | 13 | 8 | - | - | - |
| Subsidies | 120 | 143 | 167 | 207 | 191 | 376 |
| Net advances for housing | 29,794 | 29,451 | 19,480 | 21,493 | 7,566 | 1,502 |
| Grants for private capital purposes | 6,626 | 9,599 | 10,954 | 9,240 | 7,588 | 4,958 |
| Total Outlay | 302,248 | 369,928 | 396,577 | 435,220 | 395,461 | 396,886 |

(a) Includes financing transactions of the Canberra Commercial Development Authority.

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TABLE 71. TOURIST ACCOMMODATION

| Particulars | | June quarter 1979 | September quarter 1979 | December quarter 1979 | March quarter 1980 | June quarter 1980 | September quarter 1980 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Licensed hotels with facilities (a) | | | | | | | |
| Establishments | number | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| Guest rooms | " | 788 | 793 | 790 | 793 | 793 | 793 |
| Bed spaces | " | 1,797 | 1,818 | 1,819 | 1,837 | 1,829 | 1,831 |
| Room occupancy rates | per cent | 54 | 49 | 54 | 55 | 57 | 52 |
| Bed occupancy rates | " | 34 | 30 | 33 | 35 | 36 | 33 |
| Gross takings from accommodation | \$'000 | 1,157 | 1,057 | 1,197 | 1,305 | 1,434 | 1,364 |
| Motels (a) | | | | | | | |
| Establishments | number | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| Guest rooms | " | 1,129 | 1,130 | 1,158 | 1,158 | 1,138 | 1,146 |
| Bed spaces | " | 1,359 | 1,361 | 1,375 | 1,360 | 1,475 | 1,520 |
| Room occupancy rates | per cent | 63 | 60 | 60 | 66 | 67 | 63 |
| Bed occupancy rates | " | 41 | 40 | 36 | 41 | 42 | 41 |
| Gross takings from accommodation | \$'000 | 1,626 | 1,659 | 1,638 | 1,901 | 1,911 | 1,883 |

(a) For the purposes of this survey, hotels and motels are defined as establishments which provide pre-dominantly short-term accommodation (i.e. for periods of less than two months) available to the general public and which provide breakfast.

NOTE: Details for caravan parks in the Australian Capital Territory, combined with Queanbeyan (M) City, are available on request to the ABS.